

Clemenceau Visits Lincoln's Tomb

In Springfield Today—St. Louis to Hear Tiger's Eloquence Friday.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Georges Clemenceau, France's war time premier, prepared to take the road again today on his self-imposed mission of winning American support for France.

The next stop on his itinerary was Springfield, Ill., where he was scheduled to lay a wreath on Lincoln's tomb and deliver a brief address.

He is due in St. Louis for his next big speech tomorrow.

UNTIL MIDNIGHT.

The Tiger arose early to board his private car which was attached to a 10 o'clock train. He did not rise as early as his customary 4 o'clock however, for last night he dissipated by staying up until after 11.

Making his last public appearance at the opera he disclosed for the first time in America, "mon tube"—his top hat. He had declared in New York he would not wear it because his soft one felt and looked better. But, as he was dissatisfied he decided to do it up brown.

GIVEN OVATION.

Clemenceau was given an ovation when he entered the Potter Palmer box at the end of prologue to "The Snow Maiden."

A few minutes later, the curtain rising on the set for the first act disclosed Clemenceau, French premier, holding a big tri-color, and Cyrano Van Gordon, draped in the Stars and Stripes with the entire company behind them. Couteau sang the Marseillaise and Van Gordon the Star Spangled Banner.

ACKNOWLEDGED APPLAUSE.

When they had finished another long wave of applause for the Tiger swept the house and he rose and bowed again.

Then he settled down and became more interested in the opera than he stayed until the end of the third act—nearly half past ten.

Before he went to bed he dictated a Thanksgiving message to America declaring the reception he had received and the interest with which his message had been heard, gave him much to be thankful for.

IS THANKFUL.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Georges Clemenceau, touring the United States in an effort to forge closer bonds between this country and France, Wednesday night dictated the following Thanksgiving message:

"Deeply touched by the kind reception granted me and the attention given to the delivery of my message, there is much I am thankful for."

HIS OWN SCHEDULE.

The Tiger's program for the day, worked out by himself, started with a visit to one of Chicago's biggest abattoirs and packing plants and ended with a visit to the auditorium.

Between abattoir and opera, Clemenceau sandwiched visits to the Chicago Art Institute, the Anderson Galleries and the Field Museum of Natural History.

VIEWS PRIZE COROT.

Entering the art institute, he proved his knowledge of art by picking out the prize Corot of the collection and heading straight for it, standing for several minutes in silent admiration.

Before Ricardo Canals' painting of a group of Spanish dancing girls, he paused long enough to say "I saw it in Spain. It is horribly vulgar."

KNEW MANET WELL.

A portrait of Edouard Manet, French artist, next attracted him.

"Isn't that just like him," he commented. "I know him well. There was a man of wit. He is so real I can almost see him before me."

The Field museum exhibit of two mounted fighting elephants, elicited this:

"When I was in Africa there was a troop—at least 45 of them—that looked me in the face just like that."

HERE AND THERE IN THE NEWS OF TODAY

London.—Evening Standard said Wickham Stead has arranged to retire from the editorship of the London Times.

Paris.—Premier Poincare has accepted the British premier's invitation to go to London Dec. 9 to discuss reparations.

Cambridge, Mass.—The Harvard observatory received word by cable of the discovery of a comet by an astronomer at Capetown, South Africa.

Leavenworth, Kan.—Joe Martinez, who killed Captain A. H. Leonard and stabbed six other guards at the federal penitentiary, died from a bullet wound received during his fight with the guards.

Paris.—King George of Greece is virtually a prisoner in the palace at Athens, according to Delgado dispatches.

Washington.—President Harding plans quiet Thanksgiving day and will have dinner with Mrs. Harding in her sick-room.

FIRE DESTROYS PEARL ELEVATOR

Pearl, Ill., Nov. 30.—A fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed a grain elevator here Wednesday. The loss was \$20,000.

GREEKS JAUNTY FACING DEATH

Cabinet Ministers Greet Firing Squad without Showing Fear.

Athens, Nov. 30.—The six cabinet ministers executed here last Tuesday went courageously, even jauntily to their death.

Theotokis, Baltazis and General Hadjanezis wore their monacles as they took their places in the little line before the firing squads. All removed their hats except Gounaris, who stood with his hands in his pockets.

LIGHTS CIGARETTE.

Stratos smilingly lit a cigarette as he took his place. Then he handed the silver case to the officer in charge of the execution as a sign of his appreciation of the latter's courtesy and tact in the exercise of a painful duty.

Theotokis and Baltazis chatted gaily with Gounaris as the brief final arrangements were made. Protapadakis was silent and General Hadjanezis wore his usual air of nervousness and restlessness.

SENTENCE DELIVERED.

The death sentence was delivered by the court martial on Tuesday and was communicated to the condemned men who had previously been removed from Averoff prison where they had said farewell to their relatives.

Promptly at 11 o'clock after the administration of the last religious rites, the prisoners were removed in automobiles to the place of execution near Goudi, outside the limits of Athens.

SHOW NO EMOTION.

The condemned were immaculately dressed and they showed no emotion as they alighted from the motors and walked to the square formed by the waiting troops. They took places at equal intervals, each man facing his own firing squad and refused to be undisturbed. When the order to fire rang out all fell simultaneously and physicians said the death in each case had come instantly.

The bodies were removed to a nearby cemetery where relatives attended the burial rites.

TO START DRIVE ON CHICAGO KLANSMEN

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Alderman Robert C. Mulcahy announced Wednesday that next week he would start a drive to have the name of every city employee who is a member of the Ku Klux Klan stricken from the payroll.

KILLS HUSBAND BUT JURY FREES HER

La Crosse, Wis., Nov. 30.—Mary Elts, who shot and killed her husband, Frank Elts, was found not guilty of murder by a jury in circuit court Wednesday. She testified she shot him after six years of married life during which he constantly abused her and threatened to kill her.

WOMAN GUILTY OF SLAYING HUSBAND

Burlington, Ia., Nov. 30.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Katherine Shurtz, charged with the murder of her husband, J. V. Shurtz, returned late Wednesday, a verdict of guilty of first degree murder, carrying with it a sentence in the penitentiary for life.

The jury deliberated only about an hour and a half.

THIRD BURCH JURY UNABLE TO AGREE

Los Angeles, Nov. 30.—The jury in the third trial of Arthur C. Burch, charged with the murder of J. E. Kennedy, was discharged Wednesday night when it reported to Judge Sherk at 9:45 o'clock that it was hopelessly deadlocked.

URGE NEW CAMP GRANT PRISON

House Committee Hears Attorney Generals.

Washington, Nov. 30.—Establishment of a federal industrial reformatory at Camp Grant, Ill., to relieve congestion in federal prisons generally was urged before the house judiciary committee Wednesday by Assistant Attorney General Holland, C. W. and Willebrandt.

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LLOYD AND MATES FREE

Governor Small Pardons 17 Found Guilty on War Time Charges.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Freedom and Thanksgiving arrived almost simultaneously for William Bross Lloyd, wealthy radical and sixteen associates, at liberty today after serving eight days of their sentences for violation of the Illinois anti-syndicalism act.

SEVEN GAIN FREEDOM.

Governor Small commuted their sentences late yesterday. Shortly before 11 o'clock last night Lloyd and the six others sentenced to Joliet penitentiary from one to five years, walked from the prison free men. Three hours later the nine men confined in the Cook county jail, all sentenced to serve one year, were released.

THOSE SET FREE.

Besides Lloyd, those released at Joliet were Jack Carney, Arthur Proctor, Edgar Owens, Ludwig Lore, L. K. England and Niels Klar. Those freed from the county jail were Samuel F. Hankin, James A. Meisinger, Karl F. Sandberg, Charles Krumbin, Samuel Ash, N. J. Christanson, James Vogel, Morris A. Stolar and Perry Shipman.

IN FAMILY LIMOUSINE.

Mrs. Lloyd was waiting at the prison gates in the family limousine accompanied by Robert Howe, Lloyd's secretary.

"Well, Bill," Howe queried, "how'd you like it?"

"Great," replied Lloyd. "It's a good rest—would be for a tired business man."

"Oh, honey," interjected Mrs. Lloyd, "did they cut your hair?"

"Not one wisp," answered Lloyd as he removed his hat.

PHRASES GUARDED.

Lloyd, in giving his impression of prison life, said he believed that prisoners who couldn't maintain friendly relations with their guards were persons who were always in trouble.

"I remember at college," he said, "there were some men who could not get along with certain teachers and I found those teachers fine. Well it's the same down here."

QUESTIONED LEGALITY.

In taking this action, Gov. Small announced he was in full accord with the opinion of the Illinois Supreme Court, the majority opinion, questioning the constitutionality of the syndicalism law, when the court decided the men must serve their sentences.

"NOT CRIMINALS."

"No human agency," declared the governor, "can accurately determine how long any human being shall be incarcerated. These men are not criminals. Since their indictment and conviction in March 1921, they have suffered severely. I declined to extend clemency in their cases prior to their incarceration. No great good can come from longer incarceration for them."

FREE RAIL GUARD OF KILLING MAN

Leon, Ia., Nov. 30.—The jury in the case of J. R. Sears, returned a verdict of not guilty at midnight after a closed session of six hours.

Sears was charged with murder in the second degree of C. R. Blodgett, striking shopman, when Blodgett, in company with a companion trespassed on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad yards at Creston, Ia., on the night of July 27 during the shopmen's strike.

DEATH FOLLOWED.

Sears died on Blodgett's severely wounded him, and causing his death a few days later.

Blodgett's companion testified in court that Sears had shot Blodgett without warning. Attorneys for the defense declared that the shooting of Blodgett was justified because he was trespassing in violation of the federal injunction.

AWAITS HUBBY 17 YEARS—ASKS DIVORCE

St. Madison, Ia., Nov. 30.—Mrs. Cammie A. Muncey of Port Madison, filed suit for divorce in district court here Wednesday after waiting for 17 years. In filing the action she said she had abandoned hope of her husband's return.

SIX ALLEGED AUTO BANDITS IN WRECK

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Six men, alleged to have been traveling in a stolen automobile, crashed into a Chicago and Northwestern freight train at DeKalb, Ill., and were severely injured. Two captured, and two escaped.

SHERIFF TO SPREAD CHRISTMAS CHEER

Cincinnati, Nov. 30.—City Sheriff Harry Baugh announced Wednesday that during the holiday season, or until January 1, he will not be liable to receiving any prisoners from their homes because of inability to pay taxes.

YOU TELL 'EM.

THE FACT THAT I LIVE IN THE GOOD OLD U.S.A. IS WHAT I'M MOST THANKFUL FOR.



LIMIT RUSS TO STRAITS PROBLEM

[By The Associated Press.]

Lausanne, Nov. 30.—The Russian delegation Wednesday night received a communication from the Near East conference rejecting the Russian request to be allowed participation in the discussion of all questions before the body without being limited to the straits problem.

ABANDON HUNT FOR HALL SLAYER

New Brunswick, N. J., Nov. 30.—The hunt for the murderers of Rev. Edward Hall and his choir singer, Mrs. Eleanor Mills, which has held the eyes of the nation since Sept. 14 and aroused even the United States senate's attention, Wednesday was abandoned.

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Nor was it in gleeful anticipation of a comfortable check from an insurance company because their loss was total. A far different motive ruled in Levi's heart, he said today.

SAVE LITTLE FURNITURE.

The family had been out and when they got home at 9:30 in the evening they found an overheated stove had set fire to the house. The flames spread so rapidly that all they could do was to save a few pieces of furniture from the ground floor as the town is without fire protection.

ATTRACTED CURIOUS.

The flames mounting skyward attracted curious people from all over town. During the holiday season, or until January 1, he will not be liable to receiving any prisoners from their homes because of inability to pay taxes.

CONGRESS HAS DAY OF REST

Capital Enjoys Holiday After House O. K.'s Shipping Bill.

Washington, Nov. 30.—Congress with the house having passed the shipping bill and the senate still in the quandaries of a Democratic filibuster on the Dyer anti-lynching bill, had suspended activities with other branches of the federal government here today over Thanksgiving day.

At the White House also, President Harding had planned to do only a little work during the day and to spend the remainder quietly after having dinner with Mrs. Harding in her sick-room. Her condition permits her to spend part of each day in an easy chair.

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OWSLEY ASKS JUSTICE TO MEN

Washington, Nov. 30.—In a Thanksgiving Day message, issued here Wednesday night, Alvin M. Owsley, national commander of the American Legion, set forth a program of public measures endorsed by the American Legion calculated to assure continued integrity of American institutions and prosperity for the American people.

MANY OBJECTIVES.

The list of objectives given in the message comprise "justice" for the 36,000 disabled war veterans; cultivation of loyal American citizenship through education and consequent equality of opportunity; adequate physical development and instruction for the nation's youth; exclusion of immigrants for a period of years; restoration of army personnel to the minimum fixed by the Defense Act of 1920; adjustment of war-time compensation; and co-operation of the American Legion with the International Association of Allied Veterans of the World War in the effort to bring about a better understanding among civilized nations.

DISABLED VETS.

In referring to the disabled war veterans, Mr. Owsley said: "The Legion calls for no charity for the disabled; the Legion calls for justice, that is all. We call upon the nation to be mindful of its own."

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TURK REVOLT SWEEPS THRACE

[By The Associated Press.]

Istanbul, Nov. 30.—It is reported here that a Turkish revolt, accompanied by violent fighting at some places, has broken out in western Thrace. The correspondent of the Times at Constantinople telegraphs that he hears the insurgents are masters of the situation and that an armed band of 5,000 having machine guns is marching toward Dedaghtik and demanding the holding of a plebiscite.

DEVALERA WOULD FLY TO AMERICA

[By The Associated Press.]

London, Nov. 30.—Eamon DeValera is reported to be attempting to leave Ireland for America, says a dispatch from Belfast. The republican leader is said to be hiding in the Carlingford mountains.

ARREST TRIO OF GREEK GENERALS

London, Nov. 30.—A Reuter's dispatch from Athens says that Generals Papoulas, Doumanis and Vafiatis have been arrested.

General Doumanis is one of the most prominent military figures of Greece. He has served as chief of the general staff and with the Greek military mission at Constantinople, and as commander in chief of the army in a last unsuccessful attempt to stem the tide of the Turkish advance.

General Papoulas, also a former commander of the Greek army was reported last September to have joined the cause of the revolutionaries. He was called as a witness at the trial of the cabinet members six of whom were executed last Tuesday.

CHICAGO GATHERS MARRIAGE DATA

Chicago, Nov. 30.—A modified system of health inspection for marriage license applicants has been in vogue at the license bureau since Monday, it became known today.

Submission to the test, Dr. Bundgen, city health commissioner, who sanctioned the system, said it is not compulsory.

PHYSICIAN PRESENT.

Since Monday a physician, who first obtained permission of the county clerk and city health officials, has been at the bureau, explaining the purpose of eugenics to license applicants and seeking their consent to examination.

More than 300 have consented, the physician said. He declared his purpose is to collect statistics for presentation to the general assembly with an appeal for the legislature making examination compulsory.

FIRE DESTROYS RACINE SCHOOL

Racine, Wis., Nov. 30.—Only a few hours after the students had left for their Thanksgiving vacation, fire last night destroyed the joint Racine-Kenosha county teachers training school at Union Grove, causing loss estimated at \$90,000.

CHICAGO COUNCIL OPPOSES BASIC LAW

Chicago, Nov. 30.—The Chicago city council opposed today the adoption of the proposed new state constitution Wednesday when resolutions declaring the constitution would be detrimental to the interests of Chicago and Cook county, were adopted.

PAYING \$3 FOR STRAWBERRIES

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Strawberries from Florida were offered Chicago buyers today prices ranging from \$2.50 to \$3 a quart, a price said not to be unusual for this time of the season.

WOMEN AT HAGUE TO TALK PEACE

Amsterdam.—A Women's Congress has been summoned by the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, to meet at The Hague next month for the purpose of urging the necessity of a new peace which will secure equal rights to all nations, large and small.

The new peace, it is declared in a statement issued by the conference committee, must cancel the economic clauses of the present treaties and re-draft them with the purpose of restoring economic prosperity to the countries of Europe. Free trade should be established the world over. The adjustment of the war debts between the allies as a necessary part of the world settlement and universal total disarmament are parts of the program.

EVANGELINE BOOTH MUCH IMPROVED

Chicago, Nov. 30.—The condition of Commander Evangeline Booth of the Salvation Army, who is confined to her bed in a Chicago hotel suffering from laryngitis, was reported much improved Wednesday night. She intends to leave Friday night for Minneapolis.

CAREER WILL GUIDE COUZENS

Expect New Michigan Senator Will Take Vacant Seat Monday.

New York, Nov. 30.—Mayor James Couzens of Detroit, appointed by Gov. Grosbeck to succeed Truman H. Newberry in the Senate, said Wednesday that his past activities in office could be taken as a guide to what he would do in the future.

Mayor Couzens came to New York with Mrs. Couzens and his brother, Frank, to spend Thanksgiving with the mayor's daughter. Notification of the appointment reached him Wednesday afternoon.

WILL TAKE OATH MONDAY.

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 30.—Belief that Mayor James Couzens, of Detroit, will take the seat in the senate vacated by Truman H. Newberry, at the opening of the regular session of congress next Monday, was expressed by political observers Wednesday following Mr. Couzens' appointment by Gov. Grosbeck.

MANY FEAR RESULT.

During the 24 hours preceding announcement of the appointment, Gov. Grosbeck is reported to have received word from several representative Detroit citizens urging him not to take Mr. Couzens from their city, because they feared the municipal projects undertaken by the mayor would suffer.

MRS. E. L. SHIELDS GAINS FREEDOM

Nolle Prose Ends Ten Months in Jail.

Deland, Fla., Nov. 30.—Mrs. E. L. Shields was at liberty today after having been in the Volusia county jail here since last February in connection with the killing of her husband, William A. Shields, formerly of Miami, Fla.

CRIMINAL DOCKET SET IN SHELBY CO.

Court Takes Recess to Tuesday, Dec. 11.

Shelbyville, Nov. 30.—The November term of the Shelby county circuit court was dismissed Tuesday until Dec. 11, when a full week's work will be taken up. A large number of criminal cases have been set for hearing during that time.

Following are the settings:
Monday, Dec. 11: Ransom Doll, et al. vs. Robert E. Miller, et al. to set aside will; Ralph Snyder, trustee, vs. Sarah D. Daugherty, to construe will and modify trust.

Wednesday, Dec. 13: A. M. Brinker, et al. vs. Estate of Elsie Brinker, deceased; appeal; W. H. Whitaker vs. American Express company; appeal; Charles Clark vs. Thomas M. Davis, appeal.

CONTINUED CASES
Thursday, Dec. 14: The People vs. Leonard Hapner, robbery at point of gun; The People vs. Thomas Harrison, assault with deadly weapon; The People vs. Otis Perryman, drawing check without funds; The People vs. George W. McConnell, violation of liquor law; The People vs. Christ Stahel, two charges of larceny.

Friday, Dec. 15: The People vs. C. Reedy, larceny; The People vs. Frank Krohn, larceny; The People vs. Lee Jackson, two charges of larceny; The People vs. Henderson Brown, two charges of assault with deadly weapon.

Monday, Dec. 18: The People vs. Thomas Milligan, murder; The People vs. Austin Bland, murder.

COURT NOTES
It was declared that the indictment against Julius LaConte for violation of the liquor law was not a true bill and the defendant and his bondsmen were discharged.

C. J. Pogue vs. J. S. and Mary Vaughn, assumpsit, cause settled, suit dismissed.

Bert C. Hudson vs. William L. Hudson et al., partition; master's report of testimony filed showing proof sustains bill, decree for partition and assessment of dower.

Emma Wooten et al. vs. William T. Armstrong to set aside will; motion for new trial denied; defendant excepts and prays appeal.

County bond of \$500 to be filed within thirty days and certificate of evidence within sixty days.

"R. K." GRADING STARTS
The work on the grading of the roadway in Robinson Creek bottom was started Tuesday. The contract was let at a meeting in Springfield, Oct. 31. The grade is to be an average height of eight feet and the road bed is to be thirty feet wide on the top. It is expected that the work on the bridge will start Monday and the machinery for the work already has been sent. The bridge is to span Robinson Creek. It is hoped that the grading work will be finished this winter in order that the dirt may settle before the concrete work goes in.

THREE TOO MANY
G. H. Southard of Villa Grove had too many quail in his hunting bag for two days' hunting and for that reason he was arrested by Deputy Game Warden Otto Sands. Southard had twenty-seven quail that were killed Monday and Tuesday, and the law allows only a few.

Southard paid his fine and returned to Villa Grove.

ON RECEPTION COMMITTEE
Judge F. R. Dove, of Shelbyville, Judge Thomas M. Jett of Hillsboro and Judge William E. Wright of Effingham, all of this judicial circuit, have been selected as members of the reception committee for Ben W. Hooper, chairman of the United States Railroad Labor Board, who will speak at the annual dinner of the Illinois State Bar Association which is given in honor of the Supreme court of Illinois at the Drake Hotel, Chicago, Dec. 2.

GEORGE FEAGAN BURIED
Funeral services for George Feagan were held at the home of Mrs. Myers at ten o'clock Wednesday morning. Rev. C. F. Baker was in charge of the ceremony. Interment was made in Mount cemetery. Charleston, Mr. Feagan suffered a stroke of paralysis Thursday of the week before and was taken to the home of his sister in Mattoon, where he passed away Tuesday morning. He was born in Kentucky in 1851. He was never married. Surviving him are his two sisters, Mrs. Myra of Mattoon and Mrs. Margaret Zimmerman of Bracken county, Ky.

INFANT DIES
Elicie, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kern of Ocoee, passed away at the hospital in Pannu Tuesday morning, following a brief illness. The little girl died of bronchial pneumonia. She was born in August of this year.

TURKEY FOR ROTARY
Thomas Fleming donated a fifty-pound turkey to the Rotary Club of Shelbyville to be used on Thanksgiving day when they gave nearly one hundred youngsters of Shelbyville a Thanksgiving dinner at the Neal House.

COUNTY M. W. A. MEET
Tuesday evening of this week the Modern Woodmen of Shelby county held a meeting at their hall in the I. O. O. F. building in this city. District Deputy N. C. Davis and Alex Van Praag, both of Decatur, attended the meeting in the interest of the membership drive that was planned for this county and also for the state. The quota allotted to Shelbyville lodge has been about filled.

NIANTIC
Mrs. Louis Whitesides of near Mt. Auburn is visiting Mrs. Albert Waddell. William Spangler was a business visitor at Decatur Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Gaze, Wednesday, Nov. 29, a daughter.

Miss Alice Green had returned home from Pacific Junction, Ia., after visiting relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gaze and family have returned from Long Beach, Cal. Miss Lucile Leonard has returned home after visiting relatives in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Boone and daughter, Ethel, expect to leave Saturday for St. Louis, Mo.

Miss Alice Delaney was a business visitor at Decatur.

Miss Delaney has purchased a residence in the west part of the county. The home is owned by Mr. Albert Plets and Mrs. Charles Plets and daughter of Illinois.

Miss Delaney and Mr. James Still family, including Mr. Decatur visited relatives here last week.

VANDALIA GIRL TO NORMAL ORPHANAGE

Vandalia, Nov. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Henderson accompanied Lena Sage to Normal where she was placed in the Soldiers Orphanage. She is a daughter of Wm. Sage and a dependent and was placed there by order of the court.

J. A. Matheny went to Chicago Wednesday to remain over Thanksgiving with his daughter, Miss Estelle, who is attending school there.

Mrs. P. T. Connors and little son and Miss Kitty Lacey went to Pannu Wednesday to spend several days with relatives.

The Union Thanksgiving service was held in the Methodist church Wednesday evening and was very largely attended. The sermon was by Rev. Harmon Eitter of the Baptist church, and the collection for relief of the poor of the city.

J. R. Stombaugh went to St. Louis Wednesday where he again entered the hospital for treatment. Mr. Stombaugh was called home from there several weeks ago by the death of their child.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Evans went to Springfield Wednesday to spend several days with her sister, Mrs. Ralston Snook, and family.

Mrs. Charles Hage went to Nevequa Wednesday and from there to Decatur to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mrs. George Mattes went to Decatur to spend Thanksgiving with her brother.

Mrs. A. J. Travis, who has been visiting relatives here and looking after business matters in Shobonville, the last several months, went to Chicago Tuesday, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodbrake and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Arnold and little daughter were here Tuesday en route to Salem from Greenville. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Easter. They are removing to Salem where they have purchased a soda pop factory.

Mrs. H. J. Goehner was in St. Louis Tuesday.

Mrs. Link Morton of Herrick was the guest Tuesday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Redmond.

ABANDON SECOND WELL AT ALTAMONT

Prospect, However of Trying Third Hole.

Altamont, Nov. 30.—The Blue Mound Oil & Gas company at Altamont, Ill., has abandoned the well on the Edward Will farm, south of here. They had drilled to a depth of 1,048 feet and had to discontinue on account of a bad cave in.

The first well was drilled on the E. G. Burrow farm and was drilled to a depth of 1,240 feet.

E. A. Nisbet drilled the first well to a depth of over 700 feet, when the Blue Mound Oil & Gas company was formed and continued the drilling of this well. There is talk of drilling a third well on the Mound. The company feels that there is oil in this territory and want to make a thorough investigation before discontinuing all operations. If the ground can be leased, this third well will be drilled.

ANNUAL POULTRY SHOW
The poultry show, now in progress in the Hellenstein buildings on Railroad street, is one of the best shows ever held since its organization. There are 400 birds on display and the majority are from Effingham county. Quite valuable prizes are to be given.

HOT GRAVY BURNS VILLA GROVE CHILD

Villa Grove, Nov. 30.—The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Rifer, who recently moved here and who live in the south part of town, was severely burned Monday when he pulled a dish of hot gravy off the table.

Clyde Rifer left Sunday night on a business trip to Michigan.

The third member of the high school Lyceum will be given Saturday night, Dec. 2. A large crowd is expected, as the other numbers have been fine.

The Standard Bearers of the Methodist church realized a good sum of money from their box supper Tuesday night.

There were union services at the Christian church Thanksgiving morning. Rev. B. F. Filley of the Baptist church gave the address.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Goodale have rented the house of Rev. J. H. Foster on North Walnut and will move as soon as Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown move to Tucson. Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Clara Knox have rented a ten-room house in Tuscola.

Lexative Bromo Quinine tablets

The first and original Cold and Grip Tablet, the merit of which is recognized by all civilized nations.

Be sure you get

BROMO

The genuine bears this signature
E. W. Brown
Price 30c

LINN & SCRUGGS COMPANY

THIS IS CHRISTMAS SHOPPING MONTH

CHRISTMAS is very near now—since Thanksgiving is only a day of memories—leisurely choosing of the gifts on your lists assures you of satisfactory selection. Gifts aisles here sound a clarion call. Assortments are generous, varied, laden with the combined charm of individuality and attractiveness. To these is added the factor of economy—all of these persuasive reasons for you to shop at Linn's, where the Christmas Spirit awaits you.

SERVICE

PHONE STORE
SERVICE
Our Telephone is rather a group of phones—several trunk lines entering our private exchange. When Christmas thoughts come to you while busy at home, and you desire immediate action, a message to Betty Lane, personal shopper, will gratify your desires.

100 Framed Pictures \$1.00 each

EACH one is a reproduction of famous paintings. The frames are in rich polychrome colors which form a charming setting for the wonderful pictures. If on your list of friends whom you are to remember at Christmas time, there are those with a penchant for famous paintings, we are sure they'll like such pictures as these.

A window display on Water street will give you an idea of their beauty. Friday, \$1. each.

—Main Floor, East Aisle

XMAS

Handkerchiefs

IF YOU have never attempted to test the appreciation of a woman with a gift of a handkerchief, you'll be safe in trying this year with a selection from Madeira dainties at \$1.25, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$2 each.

Real Appenzel hand embroidered pure linen kerchiefs also give them thrills. \$1, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50 each.

—North Aisle

Easel Frames

IF YOU are giving your Photo as a gift, mount your likeness in a rich easel picture frame. These frames are finished in gold and silver. Sizes are here 5x8, 7x9, 7x10 and 8x10 inches. The remarkable thing about these suggestions is the high quality and low price. Each \$1.35.

—East Aisle

Fans

TAKE a good look at the lady's evening gowns, her party dresses, make a mental picture of the colors in them, then come down to Linn's and select for her gift a lovely silk fan. Black and gold fans, green and gold ones, gold and pink, and American Beauty colors. Priced \$4.50 to \$8.95.

—Main Aisle

Hosiery

HERE'S the stop signal, men—if you are in search of a real gift for HER. Folks who are competent judges of real hosiery values are selecting them. Pure silk, fancy lace hose, some with hand embroidered designs. You know that the rich gifts are selected early. These are rare values at \$3.95 the pair.

—Fourth Aisle

Comfy Slippers

THERE will be many comfort slippers given as Christmas presents, for it is only natural to think in terms of comfort when thinking of relatives and friends. And the prices this year are less. For the women's—\$1.24, \$1.49, \$2, \$2.50, and \$3 the pair. For the misses' and children's—\$1.49, \$1.69, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25. Leather and felt for men—\$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$4.

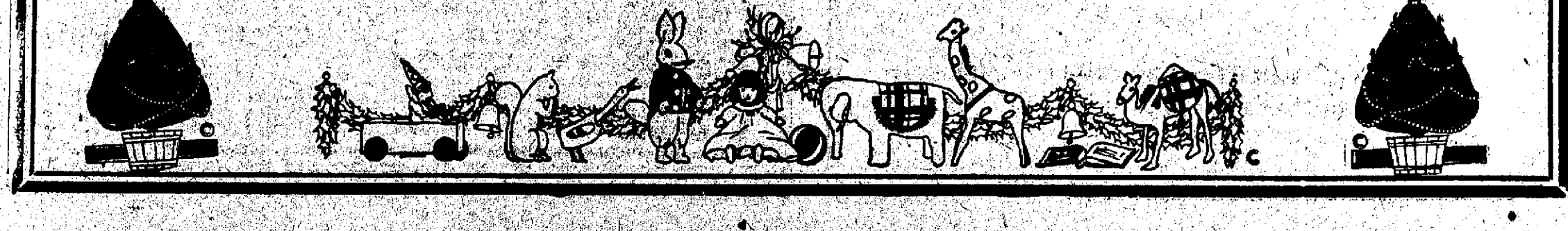
—Second Floor, South

Necklaces

AND Beads and Things ornamental for the costume—that's all the rage now. Nothing has yet so richly enhanced milady's costume as do the necklaces and bead and pearl strands of this season. Cherry red beads, jade and fancy colored combinations of beads, and beautiful pearl beads are here for gift lists. 50c to \$8.95.

—Main Aisle

We Sell Christmas Tree Ornaments



Quaint Oval Rag Rugs—Gifts

THE home with a quaint sunparlor, a colonial bedroom—are homes that will be better for a gift of an oval rag rug. Here is a varied assortment in combinations of colors and sizes—\$1.75, \$1.85, \$2.75, \$3.50 to \$6.50.

SPECIALS—Other rag rugs, closely woven, stencil borders, in rose and pink, rag rugs of durable qualities, priced like this—27x54-inch—\$2.75; 36x63-inch, \$3.35; 30x60-inch, \$2.35.

Smyrna rugs—are as soft and comfortable as any Chenille rug you ever walked on. They are in blue shades for bathroom use. They'll certainly be appreciated as gifts. \$3, \$5, \$6.25.

—Third Floor

Perfumes

A HONEY bee, for all his nectar-sipping hours, hasn't an opportunity half as rare as the one who buys Perfumes. He can't have all the lovely flowers all the time, and Mr. Bee never finds their loveliness cooped up in such startlingly clever containers. Really, here's springtime and Paris right for the taking.

—Main Aisle

TOYS

Mama Dolls that cry for "Ma-Ma," all are dressed for the Christmas Party.

\$2.50 to \$8.50

Doll Buggies—the kind in which Dolly likes to rest and go for a ride.

\$4 to \$15

Toy Pianos—Uprights or Baby Grands, on which baby may play duets with mother.

\$1.75 to \$15

Drums—That will lead the parade on Christmas morning. Little drums and big drums.

\$1 to \$5.50

Automobiles—Will satisfy the boy's desire to drive. Even though they are propelled by footpower.

\$7 to \$25

Mechanical Toys—are for real boys that like to follow some piece of machinery around the house.

50c to \$2

Velocipedes with rubber tires are always wanted by lively youngsters. Various sizes.

\$3.75 to \$15

Coaster Bikes are in demand this year. No trouble to please any child if the bike is selected here.

\$2.50 to \$5

Irish Maille—something new in coaster bikes. Reasonably priced you'll agree.

\$5.50

Writing Desks—Little sister must have one of these before acknowledging her Christmas presents.

\$3.50 to \$20

Round Dining Tables—in Flemish oak or white enamel, 4 chairs with each.

\$10 and \$13.50

Kitchen Cabinets with a place for everything, for little tots who, as you know, like to imitate mother.

\$8

Toy Stoves of iron are just like real stoves. Some have kettle, frying pan and coal hod.

\$1.25 to \$6

Laundry Sets—Dolly's clothes will have to be washed and ironed occasionally. The sets are

\$1.75 to \$4.50

Toy Trunks like those grown-ups use. Some of wood, others of metal. Several sizes.

\$2 to \$8

Cedar Chests for tiny girls, similar to the one that graces mother's boudoir.

\$5.50

Candy

WE have some delicious sweets for shoppers. You do get hungry while shopping, and sweets such as these are really invigorating. Beich's assorted chocolates, pound box, 69c; chocolate cherries in cream, 49c box; and sugared figs, apricots and orange, 50c a box.

—Main Aisle

Bags

IF YOU have decided that a pretty Vanity Bag is just about the right gift for her, it is well to consider leathers somewhat. Ecrisse, a beautiful leather in brown, blue or gray, black and tan, features a certain group of bags that are all silk lined.

There is no mistaking the stylishness, the attractiveness, or the value of them as you see them swinging smartly from the hand of Decatur's smartest dressed women. \$3.50.

—Main Aisle

Toasters

AND other useful electrical things are often articles that just fill the bill. Almost any woman would appreciate an electric toaster, an electric curling iron, or an electric iron. These are Universal products, and valuable as gifts. \$5 to \$7.50.

—Basement

Boudoir Sets

A BEAUTIFUL gift of Ivory in amber is a boudoir set arranged in a lovely silk lined box. In the set is a comb brush, mirror and manicure pieces. It is a gift that rewards the giver with lasting remembrance. The set is \$20. Other sets in white and shell ivory, \$10, \$14 and \$23.

—Main Aisle

Gloves

MEN—if you are a guardian of a certain little hand—self-appointed or otherwise—it is in keeping with your office to see that that little hand is properly dressed. Gloves, no larger than her hand, in leathers and fabrics in keeping with the mode, carry prices that insure you appreciative gifts.

—Main Floor, North

We Sell Christmas Package Wrappings

SERVICE

CHECK YOUR PARCELS
SERVICE
By checking your parcels while on a shopping tour, you have the freedom from worry that should be yours when on such an important mission. Checks and large and safe checking space is always available at the store where the Christmas Spirit awaits you.

GIFTS

Triumphs of M. Jonquelle

by MELVILLE DAVISSON POST
• 1922 NEA Service, Inc.

THE THING ON THE HEARTH

THE first confirmatory evidence of the thing. Excellency, was the print of a woman's bare foot.

He was an immense creature. He sat in an upright chair that seemed to have been provided especially for him. The great bulk of him flowed out and filled the chair. It did not seem to be fat that enveloped him. It seemed rather to be some soft, tough fiber, like the pudgy mass making up the body of a deep-sea thing. One got an impression of strength.

The country was before the open window; the clusters of cultivated shrub on the sweep of velvet lawn extending to the great wall that inclosed the place, then the bend of the river and beyond, the distant mountains, blue and mysterious, blending indistinguishably into the sky. A soft sun, clouded with the haze of autumn, shone over it.

"You know how the faint moisture in the bare foot will make an impression."

He paused as though there was some compelling force in the reflection. It was impossible to say, with accuracy, to what race the man belonged. He came from some queer blend of Eastern peoples. His body and the cast of his features were Mongolian. But one got always, before him, a feeling of the hot East lying low down against the stagnant sun. One felt that he had risen slowly into our world of hard air and sun out of the vast sweltering noze of it.

He spoke English with a certain ease in the selection of the words, but with ease.

It is necessary to try to understand this, because it explains the conception everybody got of the creature, when they saw him in charge of Rodman. I am using precisely the descriptive words; he was exclusively in charge of Rodman, as a Jin in an Arabian tale might have been in charge of a king's son.

The creature was servile—with almost a groveling servility. But one felt that this servility resulted from something potent and secret. One looked to see Rodman take Solomon's ring out of his waistcoat pocket.

I suppose there is no longer any doubt about the fact that Rodman was one of those gigantic human intelligences who sometimes appear in the world; and by their immense conceptions dwarf all human knowledge—a sort of mental monster that we feel nature has no right to produce. Lord Bayless Truxley said that Rodman was four generations in advance of the time; and Lord Bayless Truxley was, beyond question, the greatest authority on synthetic chemistry in the world.

Rodman was rich and, everybody supposed, indolent; no one ever thought very much about him until he published his brochure on the scientific manufacture of precious stones. Then instantly everybody with any pretensions to a knowledge of synthetic chemistry turned toward him.

The brochure startled the world. It proposed to adapt the luster and beauty of jewels to commercial uses. We were being content with crude imitation colors in our commercial glass, when we could quite as easily have the actual structure and the actual luster of the jewel in it. We were, painfully hunting over the earth, and in its bowels, for a few crystals, and prettily-colored stones which we hoarded and treasured, when in a manufacturing laboratory we could easily produce them, more perfect than nature, and in unlimited quantity.

Now, if you want to understand what I am printing here about Rodman, you must think about this thing as a scientific possibility. Take, for example, Rodman's address before the Sorbonne, or his report to the International Congress of Science in Edinburgh, and you will begin to see what I mean. The Marchese Giovanni, who was a delegate to that congress, and Pastreux, said that the only thing in the way of an actual practical realization of what Rodman outlined was the formulae. If Rodman could work out the formulae, Jewel-stuff could be produced as cheaply as glass, and in any quantity—by the carload. Imagine it; sheet ruby, sheet emerald, all the beauty and luster of jewels in the windows of the corner drugstore!

And there is another thing that I want you to think about. Think about the immense destruction of value—not to us, so greatly, for our stocks of precious stones are not large; but the thing meant, practically, wiping out all the accumulated wealth of Asia except the actual earth and its structures.

Put the thing some other way and consider it. Suppose we should suddenly discover that pure gold could be produced by treating common yellow clay with sulphuric acid, or that some genius should set up a machine on the border of the Sahara that received sand at one end and turned out rickety wheat at the other! What, then, would our hoarded gold be worth, or the wheat-lands of Australia, Canada or our Northwest?

The illustrations are fantastic. But the thing Rodman was after was a practical fact. He had it on the way. Giovanni and Lord Bayless Truxley were convinced that the man would work out the formulae. They tried, over their signatures, to prepare the world for it.

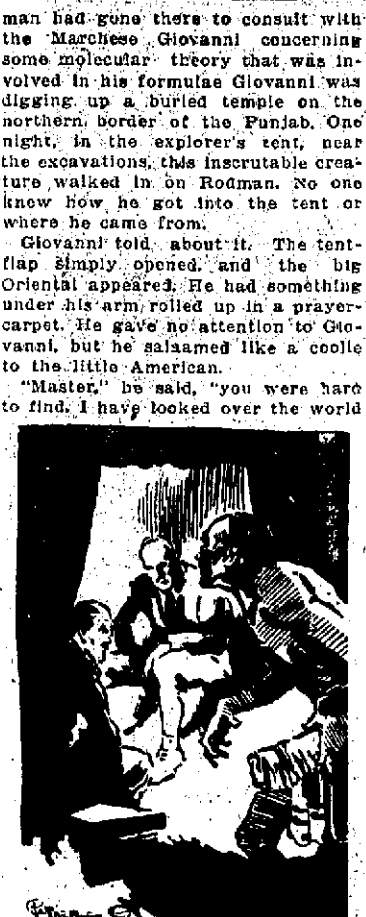
The whole of Asia was appalled. The rajahs of the native states in India prepared a memorial and sent it to the British government.

The thing came out after the enervating, incredible tragedy. I should not have written that final sentence. I want you think, just now, about the great bulk of a man that sat in his high chair beyond me at the window.

It was like Rodman to turn up with an outlandish human creature attending him hand and foot. How the thing came about reads like a lie; it reads like the wildest lie that anybody ever put forward to explain a big yellow Oriental following one about.

But it was no lie. You could think up a lie to equal the actual things that happened to Rodman. Take the way he died!

The thing began in India. Rod-



THE TENT-FLAP SIMPLY OPENED AND THE BIG ORIENTAL APPEARED.

man had gone there to consult with the Marchese Giovanni concerning some molecular theory that was involved in his formulae Giovanni was digging up a buried temple on the northern border of the Punjab. One night, in the explorer's tent, near the excavations, this inscrutable creature, walked in on Rodman. No one knew how he got into the tent or where he came from.

Giovanni told, about it. The tent-flap simply opened, and the big Oriental appeared. He had something under his arm, rolled up in a prayer-carpet. He gave no attention to Giovanni, but he saluted like a coolie to the little American.

"Master," he said, "you were here to find, I have looked over the world a little flame was the literal meaning. The present was from the treasure-room of the monastery; the very carpet around it, Giovanni said, was worth twenty thousand lire. There was another thing that came out in the talk that Giovanni afterward recalled. Rodman was to accept the present and the man who brought it to him. The Oriental would protect him, in every way, in every direction, from things visible and invisible. He made quite a speech about it. But, there, was one thing from which he could not protect him.

The Oriental used a lot of his ancient words, to explain, and he did not get it very clear. He seemed to mean that the creative forces of the spirit would not tolerate a division of worship, with the creative forces of the body—the celibate notion in the monastic idea.

Giovanni thought Rodman did not understand it; he thought he himself understood it better. The monk was pledging Rodman to a high virtue, in the lapse of which something awful was sure to happen.

Giovanni wrote a letter to the State Department when he learned what had happened to Rodman. The State Department turned it over to the court at the trial. I think it was one of the things that influenced the judge in his decision. Still, at the time, there seemed no other reasonable decision to make.

The testimony must have appeared incredible; it must have appeared fantastic. No man reading the record

could have come to any other conclusion about it. Yet it seemed impossible—at least, it seemed impossible for me—to consider this great vital bulk of a man as a monk of one of the oldest religious orders in the world.

Every common, academic conception of such a monk he distinctly negated. He impressed me, instead, as possessing the ultimate qualities of clever diplomacy—the subtle ambassador of some new Oriental power, shrewd, suave, accomplished.

When one read the yellow-backed court record, the tale of old, obscure, mysterious agencies moving in sinister menace, invisibly, around Rodman could not be escaped from. You believed it. Against your reason, against all modern experience of life, you believed it.

There was one man in the world that everybody wished could have been present at the time. That was Montseur Jonquelle. Jonquelle was chief of the Criminal Investigation Department of the Service de la Sûreté in Paris. He had been in charge of the French secret service on the frontier of the Shan states, and at the time he was in Asia.

Another installment of the unusual mystery story will appear in our next issue.

PEOPLE ARE PARTICULAR about where they live. The want ad that tells all the desirable features about a room for rent or a house for sale is therefore the ad that gets the best results.

NORMAL WEATHER FOR NOVEMBER

Rain, on Third of Days; Mean Temperature 44.0.

The month of November did not prove unusual in the weather line in any way. The mean temperature for the month has been 44.0 degrees, not including Thursday, the last day, and this was 2.6 degrees above the November normal. However this does not even approach a record breaking mark.

While it may not be a record, still it seems a little unusual that there was rainfall on about ten or eleven days in the month or on at least one-third of the days. However, the total precipitation was only 2.11 inches or 52 of an inch above the normal.

Something Interesting
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See The Decatur
Drug Co.'s Ad.
The Big Drug Store

I PREACH GOOD SHOES

At Reasonable Prices

I don't talk about having the lowest prices—DON'T KEEP THAT KIND OF GOODS. I don't sell \$7 and \$8 quality for \$5. IT CAN'T BE DONE.

FULL VALUE—100 Cents Worth for Every Dollar—THAT IS WHAT I GIVE. LET ME PROVE IT

Children's Good Shoes 8 1/2 to 1 \$1.55, \$2.25, \$2.39 1 1/2 to 2 \$2.25, \$2.65, \$2.95 2 1/2 to 7 \$2.85, \$3.39, \$4.00	Boys' Good Shoes \$1.98, \$2.49, \$2.85 \$3.35
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ABE L. GREENBERG, PROP.

ECONOMY SHOE STORE

220 E. ELDORADO ST.

Child's Hose 35c good quality Children's ribbed school hose—all sizes—Friday and Saturday, a pair **25c**

Boys' U. Suits Boys' heavy fleeced union suits—all sizes—\$1.25 value—Friday and Saturday, a suit **89c**

Stewart Dry Goods
227-235 N. WATER ST.
Closing Hours: 5:30 p. m.—Saturday, 9 p. m.

Women's Union Suits Women's good quality winter weight union suits—regular \$1 value—special, a suit **69c**

Men's Union Suits Men's fleece lined and ribbed union suits—Friday and Saturday, a suit... **\$1**

Greatest Coat Sale Ever Known in Decatur

Up to \$35 Coats, \$19.75 Made of Bolivia, Plaid-back Polo and Velour some plain tailored, others with fur collars—some silk lined—made to sell at \$28.50 \$32.50 and \$35.00. Special Sale Price 19.75
Up to \$45 Coats, \$25.00 Beautiful fur-trimmed coats of Normandy, Bolivia, Velour and fine Silk Plush—some plain tailored, and a large assortment of blouse back styles. Special Sale Price 25.00
Up to \$65 Coats, \$39.50 Snappy new coats of Bolivia, Normandy and fine wool Velours, plain tailored and fur-trimmed—all are beautifully silk lined and made to sell up to \$65, Special Sale Price 39.50

Early Christmas Gift Suggestions

Brushed Wool Scarfs
These new and beautiful Brushed Wool Scarfs in many different styles—belted and plain, TO with and without pockets—in a brilliant array of color combinations. Make most pleasing gifts. **\$3.95 TO \$6.95**

Ladies' and Misses' Sweaters
We are offering these popular new Slip-over Sweaters at most attractive prices. They come in many different weaves and styles, including the Brushed Wool Models—in three groups—**Prices \$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95**

Crepe de Chine Underwear
A delightful variety of Crepe de Chine Gowns, \$2.98 Envelopes, Camisoles and Bloomers—all strict TO \$8.50 novelties and very moderately priced. Excellent Christmas gifts.

Ladies' and Children's Bath Robes
A complete stock of Ladies' and Children's Blanket Corbroy Bath Robes and Breakfast Coats. The very newest color combinations and latest styles—all sizes—**LADIES' \$3.95 to \$6.95 CHILDREN'S \$2.95 to \$5.95**

BEDDINGS, LINENS, TOWELS

\$1.50 Beautiful plaid blankets for full sized beds—cut single—fine for sheets, etc. Come in all colors—Special for this sale, each \$1	\$3.50 Good quality large double bed size—plaid blankets, all colors—worth on today's market up to \$3.50—Special price, a pair \$2.39	35c Irish Crash Good heavy quality bleached Irish crash toweling with assorted borders—Worth 35c a yard—special for this sale, a yard, ... 25c	98c All-Linen Towels Genuine Belgian all-linen towels, plain with hem-stitched ends 18x30 inches—worth up to 98c—each, ... 49c	75c Fancy Turk. Towels Extra fine bro-caded fancy Turkish towels with fancy colored borders—Double strength. Priced special for this sale 50c	\$1.25 All-Linen Towels Very fine all-linen towels with plain white figured borders and hem-stitched ends—worth up to \$1.25—Friday and Saturday, a yard, ... 89c	\$1.25 Merc. Damask 27-inch, fine heavy quality bleached mercerized damask in a beautiful assortment of patterns—special price for Friday and Saturday, a yard, ... 79c	\$2.98 Irish Damask Good heavy all-linen Irish table damask, bleached or unbleached, 70 inches wide, worth up to \$2.98 a yard; \$1.98
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Stewart's New Dress Hats
For Formal Wear

New hats of Flowers, Satin, Silk and Metals—for Party, Dinner, Theater and all formal occasions—many just received and some the creations of our own workroom. This gorgeous gathering of the very newest in Winter Dress Hats, priced specially for Friday and Saturday.

\$10

40 Pattern Hats
\$5

Including Some That Sold Regularly at \$18 to \$20

Third Floor Offerings To Early Christmas Shoppers

Bissell's Famous Carpet Sweepers—with all the latest improvements— \$4.75 and \$5	Silk and Tapestry Table Runners—50x18 inches—broad assortment— \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.50	All-wool Brussels Rugs—27x32—choice patterns—Regular, \$3 values. \$2.50	7.50 Wool and Fibre Rugs. In Blue, Green and Brown—Fine quality— \$5.00
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2,500 Yards of Colored Sateens

Colored Sateens in all of the new and wanted shades—for Bloomers, Linings, Comfort coverings, etc.—36 inches wide—Priced for Friday and Saturday, a yard

39c Black Sateen, 25c Fine quality Black Sateen, with a rich satin finish—36 inch width—Friday and Saturday, a yard 25c	50c Black Sateen, 39c Best Black Sateen—fine for Bloomers, Linings, etc.—36-inch width—Special Friday and Saturday, a yard 39c	69c Colored Sateen, 50c 36 inch plain colored Sateen, mercerized silk finish in a great number of plain shades, a yard 60c
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\$5 BOYS' THERMO COATS
Boys' all-wool Thermo Sport Coats—in heather mixture—pockets and belts—special for Friday and Saturday **\$3.50**

BOYS' ROLL COLLAR COATS
Boys' Sport Coats with roll collar—good winter coats—in Cardinal, Navy and Heather mixtures. Special Friday and Saturday **\$3.00**

\$3 Full Fashioned Silk Hose
\$1.89 Pair
Women's fine 16-strand pure thread, full fashioned silk hose, with lish heel and toe and garter tops. Never sold for less than \$2.50 to \$3. Come in Black, White Colors—Special Friday & Saturday **\$1.89**

Extra Special 50 Hats
A Few Pattern Models and Some Valued up To \$10

50 Hats in all colors and black—soft, drooping shapes, Chin Chins, Turbans—in Velvets, Felts, Satin, Soles, etc. A number of unusual values in this group, and early shoppers in this department will certainly enjoy some extraordinary bargains.

Special \$1.98

What Comes After December 1st?

Twenty Selling Days and Then—Christmas

But there's a whole lot more than that coming after December first—the opening day of The Review's "Christmas Gift Suggestions" campaign in the

Alphabetical Classified Section

There are more customers coming to you, and more sales, and more returns than you've ever had from so small an advertising investment.

Our representative will call to explain the details of all that's coming to you this Christmas.

Do You Lift Your Hat Correctly? Notables Don't, Says Expert

BY THE POLICE REPORTER.

This story is for men only. Move on, lady, this is no place for you. Men, did you ever stop to think that when you lift your hat to a woman you may be doing it all wrong? You may be a Chesterfield by instinct but the chances are you don't tip your hat according to Hoyt.

Observe the seven gentlemen above, all snipped in the act—capitalist, politician, movie producer, stage impresario, judge, surgeon, author. Which one are doing it correctly? Which ones are smashing the rules of etiquette?

We looked around for an authority on the subject—and had to go to a woman! But told us a few things we didn't know about tipping the hat.

The expert was Miss Lillian Lichner, author of the "Book of Etiquette" in two volumes, who has just published another guide, "Etiquette Problems in Figures."

"Don't T 211" it.

"First off," said Miss Lichner, "Don't say 'tipping the hat.' One raises or lifts the hat; never tips it."

"Even" we said, spreading out the pictures of the seven gentlemen, "please don't criticize us. Criticize those chaps. Who's right? Who's wrong?"

The arbiter of etiquette sniffed six times and said, "Ah, once."

"Only once?" asked she, "Which one do you think?"

"Well, none," we parried. "Which one's right?"



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, JR. WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN. DAVID WARR GRIFITH. DAVID BELASCO. JUDGE BEN LINDSEY. DR. ADOLF LORENZ. W. L. GEORGE.

"Mr. David Belasco, of course! His technique is perfect. First he is smiling. Second, in lifting, his hat gracefully, he grasps the hat brim in front, he raises the hat the proper distance and at the correct angle. He shows the proper spirit—his if he were actually glad to do it and not merely doing it as a duty."

"Now Mr. William Jennings Bryan isn't so far off—I mean in raising his hat not politically. His technique is all right, and he is smiling. But he is bowing, and he also errs in looking down instead of toward the one he is greeting."

"Maybe that's his innate modesty, we ventured."

"Take Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr.," said the arbiter of etiquette, "noting the snarl 'he does it.' Very badly. He raises his hat was around on the side and hits it sideways instead of at the side."

And he isn't smiling. He looks bored. He smiles cordially. But, while it is correct to grasp a soft hat by the top, he makes the mistake of lifting it straight up."

The judgment on Judge Ben Lindsey, of Denver was much the same—only a lot more so.

"Judge Lindsey is a bit too elaborate about it—though he is smiling. The hat is off too much to one side and he is wrong in swinging it."

The two foreign gentlemen—Dr. Adolf Lorenz, the noted Austrian surgeon, and W. L. George, famous British author—are all wrong we learned.

"Dr. Lorenz errs gravely in bowing and in lifting the hat too far away from the head. It looks too ostentatious—overdone. Mr. George is frowning, as if it is painful, and he is lifting his hat too much to the front with his arm before his face instead of at the side."

ETIQUETTE OF RAISING THE HAT

By LILLIAN EICHLER
Author of "Book of Etiquette."

How

Laise the hat off the head but not so far as to be ostentatious. Incline the head slightly and smile, but do not bow.

A soft hat may be grasped from the top; a stiff hat by the brim always in front.

Do not sweep the hat to the side, but lift to the front.

Touching the hat, instead of lifting it is an indication of shyness and lack of gallantry. Profound and elaborate bows are old-fashioned and un-American—but a smile is absolutely necessary.

When

A gentleman raises his hat when greeting a woman or acknowledging her greeting.

Similarly, when bowing to a man who is accompanied by a woman; also when a man is walking with another man who lifts his hat in greeting a woman, whether or not that woman is known to him personally.

The hat is also raised whenever a gentleman offers a civility to a lady, whether she be friend or stranger.

Fidrig men, superiors in office, clerical men and men of distinction are also entitled to the courtesy.

HOME TALENT PLAY IN MACON DEC. 9

Macon, Nov. 28.—The Parent-Teachers Association of the Macon schools have arranged to give a home talent play, entitled, "Poor Married Man," in the K. of P. hall, Dec. 9. They also have made their plans for a bakery sale and bazaar to be held Saturday, Dec. 2 in the Karl Hoover office.

Mrs. H. M. Ballinger, Mrs. Stewart Walsh, Misses Elma, Micker, Edna Wolfe, and Charles Love and William Love were visitors in Decatur Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Karl, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lancaster, Misses Lillian Draper and Bertha Karl, C. C. Cox and H. M. Ballinger were in Decatur Monday.

Carl Daggett of Minneapolis was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Daggett for a few days, leaving for Minneapolis Tuesday.

Miss Blanche Jones, a student in the university at Bloomington, is spending the Thanksgiving season at her home in Macon.

Mrs. Anna Conover was the guest for a few days this week of Decatur relatives.

Mrs. H. Booker of Hillsboro is the guest in the home of her mother, Mrs. Alice Griffith.

Mrs. Elmer Tripp of Pana is visiting for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gehm.

William Overlin, Al Combs and Henry Meyer were visitors in Decatur Tuesday.

Bert Webb of Decatur visited in Macon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Braschle of Decatur were visitors in Macon Saturday.

The university at Bloomington, is spending the Thanksgiving season at her home in Macon.

east single factor on the continent in educating the farmer improving his home life and stimulating trade. Guy H. Hall of Chicago, director of the National Institute of Progressive Farming, said in an address here today before the convention of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions.

"It is through your fairs and expositions that the farmer is kept in touch with the latest developments in farm mechanics which enables him to reduce his costs and produce more per acre."

Mr. Hall declared, "I am one of those who believe that the farmer's profits will never compare to those of the manufacturer until it is possible to make as full use of the time saving and labor-saving machinery on the farm as is done in the factory."

The Toronto fairs probably are the greatest held on the North American continent but great value is attached to the fairs held at Vancouver, Saskatoon, Regina, Calgary, Edmonton and Brandon. You have a little the better of us in these fairs for you hold two a year, whereas for the most part our harvest fairs are the one annual event.



"How Fresh It Is!"

It is a pleasure to go to your cake-box when you have baked with ROYAL Baking Powder because it is in the nature of a pure Cream of Tartar Baking Powder to keep baked foods fresh.

This means a real economy and is just one of a hundred reasons why careful housekeepers insist upon Royal Baking Powder. Some others are:

It Contains No Alum Leaves No Bitter Taste

"TERRIBLE TURK"

Wild and disheveled in appearance, Hassan Nasseh Hassoany tried to enter the White House to interview President Harding. Investigators found that he had been fleeced of his fortune of \$2500 and intended to go to headquarters for justice. The police are now trying to regain his lost money.

Scovill's Toyland

Santa Will Be Back Tomorrow

Met Santa Claus just a few minutes ago and he told me he sure had some Thanksgiving dinner, turkey, with all the trimmings and wanted to know if I wanted to take a ride in his sleigh pictured above, so I jumped in and had a nice time, he told me some of the most wonderful stories of how he visited the nice children's home, how he got in and how he could tell whether a little boy or girl lived in a certain house, it certainly was interesting. He also told me to quote a few special prices to be found in our Toyland tomorrow and that he wanted every little boy and girl that hadn't been in to come and see him.

The largest toy stock in the city is to be found in Scovill's Furniture Store. Now, don't just read this and pass it by, come in and see for yourself you know furniture stores don't usually carry toys.

Climbing Monkeys, Special	25c
\$2.50 extra fine Shoofly, Friday and Saturday	\$1.75
Blackboards, the kind with a desk on the inside	\$1.50
Toy Ironing Boards, 24 inches long, complete with stand	50c
Musical Toys, Special Friday and Saturday	10c
Wood Wheelbarrows, special	75c
Mahogany Smoking Stands, Special	\$1.00
Doll Buggies	\$3.98

This Doll Buggy has a rich enameled body 18 inches long, 9 inches wide, with hood that folds, the body is gondola type, has good springs, all steel pusher and extra large rubber-tired steel wheels, special

SCOVILL'S

Bright Bros

A Sale of Coats

attracting Great Attention

The unusual values we have been offering has met with great approval by hundreds of discriminating women who know style as well as quality. So successful has been this sale that we have made other special purchases from high-grade manufacturers that permits us to offer even better values than heretofore. Every garment is selected carefully and has that high standard for which Bright's apparel is known.

The Styles!	The Materials!	Trimming!
Blouse Coats.	Fashona	Fox—Wolf
Cape Styles	—Geron	Caracul
Side Draped	—Pauvelaine	Beaver
Straight-Line Models	—Minerva	Squirrel
	—Veldyne	
	—Medalist	
	—Arabella	
	—Normanglow	

Featuring one Special Group

\$75 Coats	\$48.00
\$70 Coats	
\$65 Coats	
\$60 Coats	

Other Coats On Sale

\$38, \$58 and \$78

Fine Suits

Reduced in Many Instances

More than 1/2

\$30, \$40, \$45 Suits	\$15
\$50, \$60, \$75, Suits	\$39
\$75, \$80, \$100 Suits	\$48

About fifty suits yet remain in our stock for clearance. Wonderful Winter Suits are offered at special reductions. The materials are in deep pile, velvet effects, as soft as kittens' ear. The styles are attractive and becoming and most of them are beautifully fur trimmed.

Friday and Saturday Specials!

DRESSES—Just a few of them that we have selected for quick clearance. They are made in fine wool, silk and Jersey—values formerly to \$48.00, special

\$19

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

IS EVERYBODY HAPPY?

By Allman



FORSYTH.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Melhorn and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Walters and family.
Mrs. Lewis Pence was in our village Monday.
The Ladies Aid society gave an oyster stew at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sawyer, Wednesday evening. Fifty were present.
Mr. and Mrs. Grover Miller of Warrensburg visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Crowl, Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hays and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lebow and family.
Mrs. R. J. Tolson and daughter, Evelyn, have been in Marion for the last few days on the account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. R. J. Tolson.
The annual Thanksgiving dinner and supper were held at the I. O. O. F. hall Thursday, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid society.

GERMANY USING 100-MARK STAMP
Berlin—Postal rates have risen so high in Germany that stamps have begun to appear in large denominations. The 100-mark stamp is the latest to leave the printing presses.
CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Potter*

MARON'S POULTRY SHOW PREMIUMS

Decatur Man Was Among Winners.

Marion, Nov. 29.—Maron's first poultry show closed Saturday evening. The promoters were very much encouraged at the interest shown and it is hoped to make next year's show a greater success than the one of 1922. The show was principally financed by the business men.
The premiums awarded were as follows:
RHODE ISLAND RED
C. D. Kelly—1st, 3rd and 4th on pens; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th on cockerels; 1st, 2nd and 3rd on pullets.
M. C. Wilkie—2nd on pens; 2nd on pullets.
BUFF ORPINGTON
J. L. Sheenaker—1st and 2nd on pens; 1st and 2nd on cockerels; 4th on pullets.
M. E. Houston—3rd and 4th on pens; 3rd on cockerels; 1st on pullets.
Dwight Allsup—2nd and 3rd on pullets.
BUFF WANDOTTES
W. D. Silvers—1st and 2nd on pens; 1st and 2nd on cockerels; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th on pullets.
WHITE WANDOTTES
Martin Hittel—1st on pens; 1st on cockerels; 1st and 4th on pullets.
Hubert Grady—2nd on pullets.
R. M. Woodcock—4th on cockerels.
R. H. Wirtz—2nd on cockerels.
Eugene Roberts—2nd on cockerels.
RHODE ISLAND WHITES
J. L. Sheenaker—1st on pens; 1st and 3rd on cockerels; 2nd and 4th on pullets.
G. H. Fyke—2nd on pens; 2nd and 3rd on cockerels.
SILVER LACED WANDOTTES
Clarence Hunyan—2nd and 3rd on pens; 1st and 3rd on cockerels; 4th on pullets.
M. P. Wright—1st on pens; 2nd on cockerels.
WHITE ROCKS
Mrs. M. M. Montgomery—1st and 2nd on pens; 1st and 2nd on cockerels; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th on pullets.
Dwight Allsup—4th on cockerels.
Mr. C. F. Kottill—3rd on pens; 4th on cockerels.
Ernest McCammon—4th on pens.
WHITE ORPINGTONS
C. R. Rogers—1st and 3rd on pens; 1st

and 3rd on cockerels; 1st, 2nd and 4th on pullets.
Mrs. Frank Criseman—2nd on pens; 2nd on cockerels.
LIGHT BARRED ROCKS
Mrs. Mollie Query—1st on pens; 1st on cockerels; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th on pullets.
Mrs. H. H. Rhodes—2nd and 3rd on pens; 2nd and 3rd on cockerels.
Mrs. W. R. Hastings—4th on pens.
BROWN LEGHORNS
G. E. Stoutenborough—1st, 3rd and 4th on pens; 2nd, 3rd and 4th on cockerels; 1st, 2nd and 4th on pullets.
U. C. Nye—2nd on pens; 3rd on cockerels; 3rd on pullets.
Eugene Breckford—3rd on pens; 4th on cockerels; 4th on pullets.
ANCONAS
James Garvin—3rd on pens; 1st on cockerels; 4th on pullets.
W. J. Miller—1st and 2nd on pens; 2nd and 3rd on cockerels; 1st, 2nd and 3rd on pullets.
C. H. Wilkie—4th on cockerels.
LIGHT BRAHMAS
C. C. Nye—1st on pens; 1st on cockerels; 1st, 2nd and 3rd on pullets.
Henry Welke—2nd and 3rd on pens; 2nd and 3rd on cockerels.
BLACK LANGSHANS
Walter Ashley—1st on pens.
BLACK MINORCAS
Chambers Deetz—1st on cockerels; 1st and 2nd on pullets.
CORNISH
Eugene Roberts—1st on cockerels; 1st and 2nd on pullets.
HUGE ANDALUSIANS
M. P. Wright—1st, 2nd and 3rd on pens; 1st, 2nd and 3rd on cockerels.
All prizes were won by persons living in Marion and vicinity, except C. C. Nye of Harrison and Chamney Deetz of Decatur.
ALLENVILLE.
Mrs. Elizabeth McCabe and daughter, Sylvia, returned home Tuesday after a few weeks' visit with relatives in Marion and Charleston.
Mrs. A. J. French is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Reynolds, of Mattoon, who is ill with diphtheria.
Dorothy Lettice spent a few days last week with Mrs. Iva Keller, who is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Wood, in Charleston.
Miss Jessie Turner is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wisco in Mattoon.
Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bundy were callers in Sullivan Tuesday.
Rev. S. A. Richard of Mattoon will conduct services at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning and evening.

MONTICELLO.
Mrs. Magdalena Lutz of Jopville visited Monday and Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Mitt Mitchell and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Major and little daughter, Mrs. visiting friends in Warrensburg. Mr. Major expects to go hunting during their stay in Warrensburg.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rhodes, who live near Decatur, were visitors in Monticello, Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Egan Wachsmen, Mrs. Amanda Jones and Miss Little Shonshore attended the pageant parade Tuesday in Decatur.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller and baby of Chicago, are expected here Thursday morning for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.
Dick Alcorn and Cloyd Dubson were business visitors in White Heath Monday.
The Roy Barber home is under quarantine, as the children are ill with the chicken pox.
Miss Ellen Griffith spent the week-end in Decatur with Mrs. Harry Clinton and family and other friends.
Mr. and Mrs. John Dighton were Chamney visitors Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Gregory and children of Tucson, attended a cabin party given at Clark's cabin, north of the city Sunday.
Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Foster spent Monday in Chamney.
George Howe of Mansfield was a business visitor here Tuesday.
Attorneys W. E. Gray and Arthur Miller of Clinton, counsel for George Opel Arthur, were business visitors here Tuesday.
Mrs. W. J. Porter, who is confined to bed by illness, is improving.
Mr. H. Haglund, deputy sheriff, and family will move soon from the jail to the Huffman property in the south part of the city.
Nelson and Charles Olson of White Heath were Monticello visitors Tuesday.
Frank Stovers of Harris spent Tuesday in Monticello.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright and daughter, Miss Helen were Decatur shoppers Tuesday.

MECHANICSBURG.
The Ladies Aid of the Christian church will meet all day Friday with Mrs. Catherine Rogers, all members of the church invited.
Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Lobdell, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Constant of Springfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emmison of Buffalo, N. Y., spent Sunday with Harold Emmison and family of Buffalo.
Mr. and Mrs. The White and son of Decatur spent Sunday with Cool Short and family.
Messieurs Agnes Armstrong, Harry Hagman, Minnie Short, Robert Farmer, Carl Farmer, David Farmer, Orrin Lobdell and Mrs. and Mrs. Sam Mathews were Springfield shoppers Friday.
Mrs. Mattie Helms of Springfield spent Sunday with W. E. Jacobs and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Farmer and son, Robert of Michigan are visiting relatives here.
Messrs. Mary Helen Ostermeier and Pauline Short spent Sunday with Miss Evelyn Lobdell.
Mr. and Mrs. William Aber spent Sunday in Riverton with their son, Arthur Aber and family.
William Shannon died Sunday noon at St. John's hospital from appendicitis. The funeral was held at the colored church in Buffalo Wednesday at 2 o'clock.
Mrs. Jacob Byrline, Mrs. Ruth Byrline and son, Billie, of Buckhart spent Sunday in Springfield with Robert Lyons and family.
Dallas Langley entertained a number of friends at a duck supper Friday evening. The Ladies Aid of the church met at the home of Mrs. Jacob Byrline Saturday afternoon.

PINES CLAN GIRLS ENJOY SUPPER
Mrs. Frank Auth is speaker at Thanksgiving services.
Thirty-five girls of the Pines Clan enjoyed a supper at the Pines Community Center Tuesday evening. The affair was in the nature of a Thanksgiving service. Mrs. Frank Auth was the speaker of the evening and told the girls of the history of Thanksgiving. Others who gave short talks were the leaders, Miss Strauch, Miss Jackson and Miss Knight. Miss Welsh, who was a guest, also spoke. Mrs. C. B. Erwin presided.
The Pines Orchestra furnished the music during the evening. The women who prepared and served the supper were Mrs. Fred Dolson, Mrs. Hewitt, Mrs. Dwight Stamper, Mrs. Walter Gibeaux, and Mrs. S. W. Finney. Potted plants decorated the tables and bows of red, white and blue crepe paper were used about the rooms.
A similar supper will be given Wednesday evening for the boys of

THANKSGIVING BASKETS.
Twelve Thanksgiving baskets were made up at the Pines Wednesday and were delivered Wednesday evening to homes where otherwise there would have been a scant Thanksgiving dinner. The meat for the baskets was furnished by the boys and the other contents were furnished by the girls.
Gold's Broken Quickly
CASCARA QUININE
In disagreeable weather always have Hill's handy. Stops Colds in 24 hours—cures in 3 days. Standard remedy for two generations. No bad after effects. Safe and dependable. Demand red box bearing Mr. Hill's portrait and signature.
At All Drug Stores—30 Cents
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Knowing from terrible experience the suffering caused by rheumatism, Mrs. J. E. Hurst, who lives at 808 East Douglas Street, Chicago, Ill., is so thankful at having cured herself that our pure fruit pills are anxious to tell all other sufferers just how to get rid of their torture by a simple way at home.
Mrs. Hurst has nothing to sell. Merely mail your own name and address, and she will gladly send you the valuable information entirely free. Write her at once before you forget.

The Charlotte
147 N. WATER ST. DECATUR, ILL.
"The Suit Shop of Decatur"

For Friday and Saturday—Very Special Values In
Smart Coats
Fur Trimmed and Silk Lined
\$49.75 AND \$59.75

If you desire a really high grade coat, at a very moderate price, you are sure to be interested in these two specially priced groups. Charming youthful models, made of materials seldom available at such low prices, and beautifully trimmed with fine Wolf, Caracul and Black Opossum. By all means, investigate this exceptional offering.

COLORS: Navy, Black and Brown
MATERIALS: Bellina, Normandy and Normango.
MODELS: Bloused, Straight Backs, Belted and Wrapped.

Look!

The Big Drug Store's Contribution
To The Christmas Spirit
**All Ivory Engraved
FREE of Charge**
Select Early to insure work being done in time to make Presentation.

First class Ivory, as every one knows, is the only kind found at The Big Drug Store. Here you may select with confidence perfect quality Combs, Brushes, Mirrors, Clocks, Puff and Powder Boxes, Trays, Manicure Articles, in fact most anything in Ivory, with full assurance that your selection is first class in every respect.

THE FREE ENGRAVING IS THE BIG DRUG STORE'S GIFT TO YOU.
Through arrangements with an engraver to engrave all our Ivory, a much better price was obtained than could possibly be granted to individuals and this concession is passed to Ivory buyers at The Decatur Drug Co., as our Christmas Gift to you.

The Decatur Drug Co.
Illinois' Greatest Drug Store

loaned by Miss Oan Giffin who brought in Europe last year. The dress is decorated with blue taffeta, trimmed in pearls, and wore a beautiful pearl necklace.

The bride's traveling dress was of blue canton crepe, with hat, shoes, and gloves in tan. The couple left

The CHILDREN'S CORNER

Pilgrims' First Thanksgiving

Indians Come and Stay Three Days.

BY MISS KIMMEL

When the first Thanksgiving day came, the Pilgrims were very busy. They had to get ready for the day. The Pilgrims were very busy. They had to get ready for the day. The Pilgrims were very busy. They had to get ready for the day.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS Magic Cough Drops

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



"You're not using your work half!" growled Twelve Toes.

The Green Wizard was so kind that he gave the twins a box of Magic Cough Drops. The twins were very happy. They had to get ready for the day. The Pilgrims were very busy. They had to get ready for the day. The Pilgrims were very busy. They had to get ready for the day.

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A PUZZLE A DAY



A man entered a cider mill to purchase four gallons of cider for Thanksgiving. There were only two centners in the mill, one with a capacity of five gallons, the other holding three gallons. How did they measure out the four gallons?

Solution: Subtracting the smaller turkey from the larger, we have one-eighth of the larger turkey remaining. Its weight is equal to seven-eighths of a pound. Multiplying by eight, we find that the larger turkey weighed seven pounds.



CLIMALENE
Washing Windows
Whatever method you prefer in washing windows, a pinch of Climalene in a basin or a teaspoonful in a pail of water will reduce the work by half. Makes the windows shine.



Lighthouse Coffee
How to Judge Good Coffee
Look for the name "Lighthouse" on the round tin can. It is a mark that guarantees satisfaction—a secret possessed by the women of this city, who are noted for good coffee. Your grocer has it.
Prepared and packed by National Grocer Co. Mpls., Detroit

LIGHTHOUSE COFFEE

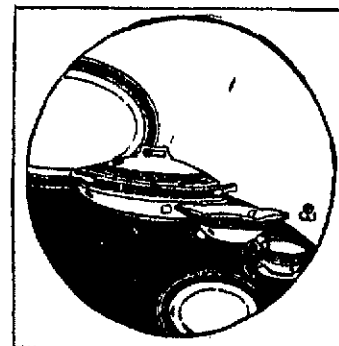
WILLIAM GUSHARD COMPANY

Lose a Pound a Day to Music

Starting Monday morning an instructor direct from the Wallace Institute of Chicago, will show how you may "Get Thin to Music." Free class instruction will be given to all women who enroll now for this most enjoyable work.

Wallace Reducing Records
are used exclusively in this work and it's great fun. Enroll at once and get a full week's instruction without charge. Full details are furnished at the

Phonograph Department
Come at once. One week instruction free



Dinnerware

For Gifts to Homes

ALREADY many men and women have chosen pretty new dinner sets and single pieces with Christmas in mind, knowing that assortments are just now varied and complete. More than 40 different patterns—from Germany, Bavaria, Japan, France, England and the United States are in the collections here, and they are all in open stock, so one may buy a complete set or any number of pieces

A Few Patterns

Are Mentioned Below

A pretty American pattern in semi-porcelain has the favored gold wreath border. A set of cups and saucers, \$3.25. 100 piece sets are \$20.45.

An American semi-porcelain pattern in Mayflower shape has gold band decoration. Cups and saucers, \$7 a set. 100 piece sets are priced \$20.45.

100 piece sets of semi-porcelain with blue conventional borders are \$39.75. Set of cups and saucers, \$5.75.

Minton Colonial design sets have very attractive wide borders. 100 piece sets, \$85.75. Set of cups and saucers, \$12.

The Marcella pattern in fine English semi-porcelain has a conventional half-inch border. Cups and saucers, \$8 a set. 100 piece sets, \$55.

Bavarian China sets of unusual beauty have a lovely black border design. Cups and saucers are \$8 a set. 100 piece sets are \$139.50.

Other sets of 100 pieces are priced \$19 to \$225.

FOURTH FLOOR

Here Are Popular Stamped Goods

Ready for Embroidery

EVEN the tiniest gift becomes precious if it is carefully finished by the hand of the giver, so many women solve gift problems by buying pretty stamped pieces which they may embroider at their leisure. A few popular pieces from our assortments are mentioned.

Certain beautiful dresser scarfs of Jewel cloth, edged with lace, stamped for Lazy Daisy and Satin stitch, are specially priced at \$1.39. They are regular \$2 values.

36 inch Lunch Cloths of art crash, stamped for French Knot and Lazy Daisy embroidery, are priced just 69c each.

42-inch pillow cases of fine tubing, stamped for French embroidery, are \$1.50 a pair.

14x14-inch napkins of good quality unbleached muslin, in a number of attractive stamped designs, are 10c each.

FIRST FLOOR

Gift Linens

At Moderate Prices

TOWELS, scarfs, luncheon sets and other articles that come under the general head of "gift linens," are here in notable variety now, and many women are choosing pretty gift things every day.

Towel Sets, \$1.75

They are boxed sets which include a 20x44 Turkish towel of finest quality, in pink, gold and blue Jacquard brocade designs, with silk stripe embroidered in the border, and two wash cloths to match.

Embroidered Scarfs

Pretty scarfs of bleached art cloth, embroidered in silk in many designs, are \$1.50 each. They are 18x50 inch size.

Lace Trimmed

Tea Sets at \$3.25

They are made of genuine "Fruit of the Loom" bleached muslin and trimmed with laces and pretty Peter Pan gingham. Each set includes one 36-inch cloth and 4 12-inch napkins. In pink, blue and gold. \$3.25.

Sanitas Luncheon Sets

These Sanitas Oil Cloth Luncheon sets are stamped in pretty fruit and floral designs and colors are fast. One may select a five piece set or a thirteen piece set. \$1.50.

FIRST FLOOR



The Annual After Thanksgiving Sale!

Modish Tailored Suits

In a Sale at About One-Half-Price

WOMEN who have attended our after Thanksgiving Suit Sales of other years will know at once that values are most unusual, for this sale always brings suits of splendid quality at great reductions from regular prices. This year the reductions average about one-half the original price. Savings are very important and every suit in stock is included.

\$39.50 to \$49.50 Suits, \$24.75
\$57.50 to \$69.50 Suits, \$39.75
\$75.00 to \$97.50 Suits \$49.75

All the suits in the sale are from our own regular assortments and they are well made suits of good materials. About 80% of them are tailored suits of tricotine and twill cord in staple, conservative styles. The others are fashioned of soft Lustrosa and Marleen with beaver and squirrel. Sizes 14 to 18, 36 to 44, 46 to 52

The sale starts Friday morning, and since quantity is limited and values are great, we suggest early buying. We cannot send suits on approval or permit exchanges.

Now! All Velvet Hats Just Half Price

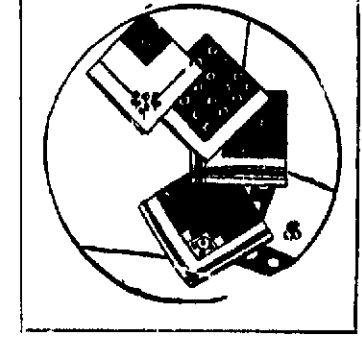


ALL late fall and early winter hats are going in this clearance at just one-half their regular marked price. Every velvet hat in the assortments here is included.

Hats of every wanted shape, trimmed in many ways, are in the sale. Colors are black, brown, navy, red, grey, henna, and royal. All are smart.

All the hats are from our regular collections, and all are of excellent quality in every way. Usual prices range from \$10 to \$30. Sale prices \$5 to \$15.

SECOND FLOOR



Of Course Your List Calls For Handkerchiefs

NO ONE ever has too many handkerchiefs, so they are gifts that are certain to be appropriate, no matter who one sends them too. Handkerchiefs of every wanted kind are here, so pretty ones for men, women and children are soon selected.

Women's handkerchiefs of pure silk pongee in natural color have corners hand embroidered in many charming designs. They are exceptional values at 75c each.

Women's handkerchiefs of prettily colored linens, with edges trimmed in white bobbinet lace, are 85c. Women's handkerchiefs of pure linen, with embroidered corners, are 50c.

Children's Nursery Rhyme handkerchiefs are 10c each. Children's plain handkerchiefs, 3 in a box, 60c.

Men's full sized handkerchiefs of silk pongee, made by hand, are very popular. They are \$1.

Men's plain linen handkerchiefs, full size, are priced 29c to 50c. Men's pure linen handkerchiefs with attractive "Longfellow" initials are priced 50c and 75c each. Others are priced 25c to \$2 each.

FIRST FLOOR

Still Many Exceptional Values in This Clearance Sale of Women's Fine Autumn Slippers

just \$4.95 pair

THOUGH many pairs of slippers and shoes have been sold since this clearance started, many charming pairs yet remain to be chosen, and a number of pairs have been added. They are in incomplete lots, but every size is in the group. Included are Strap slippers of patent leather, kid and suede in pretty styles. Popular black kid oxfords in smart style, with full Louis heels. Charming pumps of fine black kid and patent leather; Louis heels. Hiking and street boots of black kid, brown kid and calf skin.

All the shoes offered at \$4.95 have been much reduced. They were formerly priced \$7.50 and more a pair.

FIRST FLOOR

Things Some Notable Americans Feel Thankful For.

I am thankful for all things in life.

Labor is thankful this year for many things of great moment.

To serve humanity always has been my aim.

Political reaction has been de-throned and America is once more on the road to progress. Industrial reaction has been discredited and disarmed. Here to go America is on the road to progress. The miscellany of an open shop campaign has been defeated. Unemployment is decreasing rapidly, wages are on the upward trend.

It, in my time, I shall have done this, from my striving, mankind has been benefited in any measure, should I not be grateful and happy—LUTHER BURBANK.

Much remains to be done, but much has been achieved, for which workers and all other right-thinking Americans are glad and thankful—SAMUEL GOMPERS.

I am thankful that I still have my health and that my mother and father are comfortably settled with me in Los Angeles. And I am thankful that my present vaudeville engagement terminates in three weeks. But I will be more than thankful if someone will find someone for me to fight by the next Fourth—JACK DEMPSEY.

In the midst of this tumultuous and broken world, I am devoutly grateful that there is one hope for a better day to come, that one constructive force has been revealed about which the life of mankind may be built in safety and security.

We should be thankful that we are citizens of the United States. And we should be thankful that we live in such a country.

This is the gospel of brotherhood and goodwill known to man through Christian revelation. The international situation which presents so many intricate problems affords a unique opportunity for the leadership of our own great country. At Thanksgiving all Christian people should pray that our government may be wisely guided that it may fulfill its divine mission to all the nations of the earth—BISHOP WILLIAM T. ANDERSON.

We should be thankful for our country's equipment with such natural resources as it possesses. And we should be thankful for our country's citizens—citizens who make it so great—CHARLES M. SCHWAB.

school during Wednesday morning's auditorium period, "is what Decatur expects of the high school in a community way."

**HOLT AND IRVING
TALK AT D. H. S.**

DO YOUR BEST.
"This is no mean city we live in," continued Mr. Holt, "it stands very high in the favor of traveling men and others having occasion to visit and frequently come in contact with a great many different cities. The reason is this: When there's anything to be done of a community nature every fellow is ready to get behind and push for all he's worth. The thing Decatur looks to you for is this, when ever you are called upon to do a thing, do your best."

Tell Students What Is Expected of Them.

"Service," said J. R. Holt in speaking before the students of the high school.

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SCHOLARSHIP.
E. P. Irving spoke to the school upon the subject, "What Decatur expects of the high school along the lines of scholarship," saying in part, "The people of Decatur believe in scholarship or they would never expend \$600,000 per year for the maintenance of the public schools. The greater scholarship you have the better you will get on in life, and the better you will enjoy life."

See The Decatur
Drug Co.'s Ad.
The Big Drug Store

The auditorium Wednesday was opened with a number by the D. H. S. Girls' glee club.

TO CHICAGO.
Principal and Mrs. T. M. Deam and their two children left Wednesday morning in the Deam car to drive to

Chicago for Thanksgiving. They will visit Mrs. Deam's brother, Arthur Nigg, and Principal Deam will attend the meeting of the Association of Science and Mathematics Teachers at Chicago Friday and Saturday. Mr. Deam will return Sunday.

There were about twelve of the advisors present and they had a very pleasant and profitable time. It was arranged to hold one of these meetings of advisors once a month.

NEW CLUB.
The new club at the Y. W. C. A. was named the "Tee-hee-hee" club at the supper meeting Tuesday evening. They elected their officers:

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Vice-president—Miss Rohima Henderson.
Secretary—Miss Bernice Hill.
Treasurer—Miss Grace Scott.
The club will hold its meetings on

Thursday of each week.

STAFF GIVES PLAY.
The staff of the Y. W. C. A. which includes all the secretaries of the organization, is arranging for a play to be given about the middle of December. The talent taking part in the play will be altogether the secretaries.

The play will be given in the interest of world fellowship, and is done because of the interest in the subject and because of the cut made in the national board's finances. The staffs of the Y. W. C. A. all over the country are doing something to help raise the money required for the fellowship

work. In some instances it takes one form and in some another but the plays such as will be used by the Decatur organization are proving to be very popular.

WORK PROGRESSING
ON FILLING HOLE.
Work on filling the hole in the river bed down stream from the water impounding dam is making steady progress with the workers now directing the stream of gravel and sand along the edge of the apron

preparatory to placing the riprap "boulders," made of gravel, sand and cement placed in gunny sacks, along the edge of the apron of the dam. This, it is felt, will preclude any probability of a future washout when the water runs over the entire length of the spillway.

POLICE NOTES.
Mrs. Alta Robinson, 523 North Railroad avenue was journeying peacefully home in a taxicab Wednesday night when her progress was interrupted by officers of the law,

who arrested Mrs. Robinson for possessing and transporting liquor. They took three gallons of white mule from the taxicab. Mrs. Robinson pleaded guilty before Justice Noble and was fined \$12.50.

Dean Merry, 517 South Box 1 street, was arrested Wednesday night for being minus a tail light on his car. He gave bond to appear before Justice Noble, Dec. 7.

Sol J. Lightman, 533 West Main, was arrested for violating the parking ordinance. He was fined \$11.50 by Justice Noble.

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ADVISORS OF GIRLS' CLUBS MEET AT "Y".
Miss Helen MacDougall, girls' work secretary at the Y. W. C. A. had the advisors of the girls' clubs at the "Y" for dinner, Tuesday evening.

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Christmas Buying Begins In Earnest At Gebhart's Friday

THE STORE THAT MAKES THE PRICE
HISGEBHART
GREATER DECATUR'S GREATEST STORE

Drapery Designing and The Making Done Without Charge

Announcing A Momentous Special Purchase And Sale of 300 New Dresses

A FIRST TIME OFFERING! NEVER BEFORE A DRESS SALE LIKE IT!
DRESSES OF QUALITY, DRESSES OF CHARM AND RARE DISTINCTION!

Luxurious Silks! High Priced Woolens! Rich Velvets!

Sale Prices LESS Than Cost of Materials

—Even the woman who already possesses several dresses will be unable to resist the temptation to add another to her wardrobe during this sale. One of America's foremost makers of better dresses, anxious to get to work on next Spring's styles, closed out to us at OUR OWN PRICE, his entire surplus stock of high character silk and wool frocks. And these, now, just when hundreds of women are ready and eager to choose new dresses for holiday wear, will be offered at prices that would hardly buy the materials by the yard.

More than 300 dresses to select from, and not an undesirable style in the entire collection. Not until you see the sheer beauty of the styles and the quality of the materials can you truly appreciate this matchless sale.

—The purchase has been grouped at three prices. Even the lowest price group has nothing in it but quality garments. The sale opens Friday morning and continues through Saturday.

Group No. 1 \$25 - \$27.50 DRESSES, \$11.50

—Dresses of silk Canton Crepe and excellent quality all-wool Poret Twill exquisitely styled in the smartest ways; shown in navy blue and in black—size runs from 16 to 40. Dresses actually made to retail up to \$27.50.

\$11.50

—Do not be misled by the fact that you have seen all sorts of dresses offered at this price or less. A careful examination will show you that here is a sale different from any heretofore seen at such a low price as \$11.75.

Group No. 2 \$32.50 - \$35 DRESSES, \$15.50

—Come choose from dresses developed of the costlier grades of all-wool Poret Twill, all-wool Tricotine, all-silk Canton Crepe and Crepe Back Satin—navy brown and black—sizes 16 to 40—values to \$35.00 at \$15.50

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—Lucky indeed will be the woman who chooses a frock from this \$15.50 assortment for it includes many creations of matisse and clove silks, with the richest of gold tracery and exquisite fringes. Come early.

Group No. 3 \$40 and \$45 DRESSES, \$19.50

—Dresses whose loveliness will strike a responsive chord in the heart of every woman who sees them. Rich silk velvet frocks, Canton Crepe frocks and a great collection developed of fine tricotines and Poret Twill weaves.

\$19.50

—If you would have a dress possessing character, distinction, refinement, come and see these wonderful creations at \$19.50. Included will be several dresses of satin back crepe and charmeuse. Sizes 16 to 42.

The Sale Starts Friday

BUY A NEW FROCK FOR HOLIDAY WEAR

SEE THE WINDOWS

MOST STYLES ARE EXCLUSIVE—ONE OR TWO OF A KIND



THE BIGGEST SIX IS THE \$6 THAT BUYS

THE SELZ \$SIX

You might expect a \$12 shoe to wear twice as long as a Selz \$six. But it won't. You might expect it to look better or fit better. But it won't.

The low price of the Selz \$six is not due to cheapened materials or slighted workmanship, but to specialization, enormous production and a willingness on the part of both maker and retailer to take a smaller than-ordinary profit on a larger-than-ordinary business.

Let us save you money by fitting you with a Selz \$six.

Crawford's Inc.

155 N. WATER.

Pekin.

Spiced With New Arrivals Friday—The
\$30-\$35 COATS

All Wool Velours and Bolivias

\$19.75

Trimmed with Rich Fur Collars

—Women who would ordinarily choose coats at \$35 and \$40 are taking these, because they have all the style and quality of the higher priced garments. In fact, they were created to sell at \$30 and \$35. Shown in high grade all-wool velours and Bolivia coatings, with sumptuous fur collars.

Another Group of \$40-\$45 Coats at \$24.75



Fifty More Rich Silk Lined, Fur Trimmed
\$55-\$60 COATS

Panvelaine Bolivia Normandy Gerona

\$39.75

With Costly Wolf Collars

—If you saw these coats in some exclusive style shop, on State Street or Michigan Avenue in Chicago, priced \$55, \$60 or even \$65 you'd consider them wonderful values. Identically the same coats are commanding such prices today. We're giving you the benefit of enormous cash purchases.

\$75 and \$80 Exclusive Model Coats, \$49.75

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



THE NATIONAL DESSERT.

By BLOSSER

Iron season ended early this year, with the final game coming on Saturday before the Turkey Day. It was announced that at 4:15 P.M. the Household Arts department would hold a meeting, open to all girls of the school. The meeting is to be held in room 100.

RADIO PROGRAMS

Friday, Dec. 1.
DAYTON—WOC.
 10:55 a. m.—Time Signals (435 Meters).
 11:00 a. m.—Weather (435 Meters).
 11:05 a. m.—Opening Market Quotations.
 12:00 Noon—Chimes Concert.
 1:30 p. m.—Closing Stocks and Markets.
 2:30 p. m.—Educational Talk by A. L. Willis.
 5:45 p. m.—Chimes Concert.
 6:30 p. m.—Sport News.
 6:40 p. m.—Sandman's Visit.
 7:00 p. m.—Musical Program.

DETROIT—WWJ.
 9:30 a. m.—"Tonight's Dinner" and a special talk by the Woman's Editor.

10:25 a. m.—Weather (435 meters).
 11:55 a. m.—Time.
 12:05 p. m.—Music.
 3:00 p. m.—News Orchestra.
 3:30 p. m.—Weather (435 meters).
 4:30 p. m.—Markets.
 5:00 p. m.—Sport results.
 7:00 p. m.—The Detroit News Orchestra.
 The Town Crier.

ATLANTA—WB.
 12 to 1 p. m.—Miss Ruby Fields, soprano and guitarist; Miss Ruth Coleman, pianist and guitarist; Monte Barnhardt, staff pianist and vocalist.
 6:15 to 6 p. m.—Miss Lois Hall, pianist; of Buena Vista, Ga.; Miss Edna Hall, pianist, pupil of Mrs.

Church Calendar

FRIDAY
 The young people of the First Church of the Nazarenes will meet Friday night at 7:30.
 The orchestra of St. Paul's Methodist church will practice Friday night in the home of Mrs. T. J. Edwards, 1401 East Prairie avenue.
 The Ladies' society of the Congregational church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30.
 The W. H. M. S. of the First Methodist church will hold a Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. T. J. Edwards, 1401 East Prairie avenue, Friday afternoon at 2:30. The program will be given by Mrs. A. W. Conklin and the lesson will be given by Mrs. Chester Smith. The choir will rehearse at 7:30.
 The boy scouts will meet at 7:30. A special Thanksgiving program will be arranged for all the scouts who attend. If the weather permits, the meeting will be held at the "Skins" cabin in Fairview park. The Men's Bible class of the Sunday school will have a party in the church Friday evening.

DEATHS.

MRS. LOUISE BEHNKE.
 Mrs. Louise Behnke, wife of Fred Behnke, 1325 East Prairie avenue, died Wednesday afternoon at St. Mary's hospital. She was sixty-one years old last February. Her death was caused by pneumonia.
 Mrs. Behnke's maiden name was Louise Alt. She was born in St. Clair county Feb. 13, 1861. She lived in Effingham for a long time before coming to Decatur and was well known there. She was always good natured and cheerful and made friends of all who knew her. She was a member of St. Johannes Lutheran church.
 Her husband she is survived by two sons by a former marriage, Albert and Arthur Schrader, and the following step-children: Mrs. M. C. Krause of Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Earl Hoese, Robert, Walter and H. Behnke of Decatur and Harold Behnke of New Mexico. She also leaves the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Carrie Wilson and Mrs. Kate Wilt, Henry Alt and Fred Alt of Decatur, Mo. There are nine grand-children. The body was removed to the Moran & Sons undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.
 Short funeral services will be held at the residence at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. The body will be taken to Effingham for interment.

THOMAS QUARTERS.
 Thomas Quarters, of Bement died Wednesday in the Decatur and Macon county hospital. He was sixty-nine years old. His death was caused by a complication of diseases. He had been in the hospital for some time.
 The body was removed to the Moran & Sons undertaking establishment and prepared for burial and later taken to Bement.

LYDIA F. LAWSON.
 Lydia F. Lawson, aged three years, died Wednesday night at the home of her foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Walker, 603 South Haworth avenue. Her death was caused by intestinal trouble. She was born Dec. 27, 1919, in St. Louis, and is a daughter of Earl Lawson of St. Louis. Her mother died last April. Since then she has resided with Mr. and Mrs. Walker.

200 AT MEETING OF LABEL LEAGUE

Dan Dinneen Given Address on Evening's Program.
 An open meeting and social evening was held Tuesday night by the Women's Union Label League in Red Men's hall with about 200 people present. An address was made by Dan Dinneen. Other numbers consisted of a dance by Alice Reese, vocal solo by Letha Spencer, reading and vocal selection by Cairns sisters, piano and vocal solos by Kate Black and Della Dorsey, reading by Mrs. Eller and reading by Harry La Rosa. A union made broom presented by Jack France was won as a prize by Mrs. Otto Starbody. Following the program, refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. Greenwood's orchestra furnished the music.

MAN HELD FOR CONFIDENCE GAME

C. M. Clark of Dallas, Texas, arrested in Springfield.
 C. M. Clark of Dallas, Texas, arrested in Springfield, for trying to work a confidence game, has been brought to the Macon county jail for a similar charge here. His method is said to be to take considerable cheap baggage to a hotel and register, then order jewelry or other light merchandise sent to the hotel C. O. D. He will be away when it comes and the hotel clerk will pay the charges on the strength of Clark's baggage. Clark leaves without his baggage.

Catarrh Quickly Ended By a Pleasant Germ-Killing Antiseptic

The Little Hygiene Inhaler is made of rubber and easily be carried in pocket or purse. It will last a lifetime. Just inhale the germ-killing antiseptic from a few drops of natural Hygiene.
 This is absorbed by the antiseptic gauze within and now you are ready to breathe it in over the germ-infected membrane where it will speedily begin its work of killing catarrh germs. Hygiene is made of pure antiseptic combined with other antiseptics and is very pleasant to breathe.
 It is guaranteed to end catarrh, bronchitis, sore throat, croup, coughs and colds in ten minutes. It cleans out a stuffed up head in two minutes.
 Sold by druggists everywhere and by Decatur Drug Co.

CHRISTMAS TREES ARE ON THE WAY

First Car Coming from Michigan.
 Santa Claus stretched, yawned, looked out at the snow on the ground this week and immediately put in an order for Decatur's Christmas trees and the first car is now headed this way from northern Michigan. The trees in this shipment are northern Michigan spruce, and the commission merchant who distributes them for Santa reports that prices will be about the same as last year.
 Some time ago this Decatur man was told that because of a priority order issued recently by the Interstate Commerce Commission such necessities as Christmas trees might not be permitted to occupy railroad freight cars if the cars were needed to transport luxuries like potatoes, flour and such.
 However, Santa seems to have pulled a few wires and this first car is on its way. It should be ready for Decatur buyers soon.

E. H. WALWORTH AT ILLINI FARM MEET

Chinch Bug Movie Films Are Shown.
 E. H. Walworth, county agent for the Macon county Farm Bureau, led the discussion on the questions of extinction of the chinch bug pests, the provisions of the new constitution, and their effect on the farmer, and modern housekeeping methods. At the meeting of more than sixty farmers and farm wives at the Illini church Wednesday evening.
 Two moving picture films were shown, "Chinch Bugs," in which Macon county map were the principal figures, and "The Happier Way," showing better housekeeping improvements, and both were explained by Mr. Walworth.
 Following an oyster supper to be served in the Casner United Brethren church Thursday evening, farm people of the Casner community will meet and hear Mr. Walworth on the same questions. The two films will be used.

E. W. CLIPPINGER TALKS TO STUDENTS

Thanksgiving Observed in J. M. U. Chapel.
 Rev. Edward W. Clippinger, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, gave a brief talk to the students of James Millikin University during chapel exercises Wednesday in observance of Thanksgiving. His address covered the subject of "Duty or Opportunity" with a clearness that was well shown. The chapel services were the only observance of Thanksgiving manifested at the university. Special music was given, with the interpretation of the

Heals Old Sores

Peterson's Ointment
 To the millions of people who use Peterson's ointment for piles, eczema, salt rheum, pimply skin, sore feet and chafing, Peterson says, "Tell any sufferer from old sores that its mighty healing power is wonderful. All druggists, 35c, 60c, \$1.00, \$2.50, \$5.00."

NR TO-NIGHT Tomorrow Alright
 KEEPING WELL—An NR Tablet (a vegetable aperient) taken at night will help keep you well, by toning and strengthening your digestion and elimination. Used for over 20 years.
 Get a 25 Box
 Chips off the Old Block
 NR is a little bit of the same ingredients, then candy coated. For children and adults.
 THE DECATUR DRUG CO.

Many Decatur Women Are Thankful for

THE CHAMBERS FIRELESS GAS RANGE
 And they have every reason to be thankful for this wonderful range. For it not only enables them to do better cooking, but also saves them much time and labor in the kitchen, and cuts gas bills from 50 to 75 per cent.
 If you wish to know more about the CHAMBERS—about how it cooks your meals without the necessity of watching; how it keeps the heat inside where it does most good, and thus effects a good saving of gas; how you may put your meal on to cook and then go out and spend the afternoon without further worry—if you wish to know these and many other things about the CHAMBERS, we will gladly tell you, without in any way obligating you.

GILL & PELOW
 154 MERCHANT STREET. FAIRVIEW 463.
 HOOPER SUCTION SWEEPERS
 ELECTRIC SEWING MACHINES
 ELECTRIC FANS
 CHAMBERS FIRELESS GAS RANGES

STORE OF QUALITY, SERVICE AND PRICE

Thursday Being a Holiday We'll Hold the Month End Soiled Garments Sale, Friday, Dec. 1
 Wives and mothers will please note

Anderson DRY GOODS CO
 207 North Water St. 138 East Prairie
 Osgood's Former Location

Up to \$2.95 Kid Gloves, 69c. Women's white kid Gloves; two-clasp fancy back stitching; worth up to \$2.95. Soiled Garment Sale at 69c	Up to \$1.50 Aprons, 50c. A sample lot of aprons in large and small sizes, slightly soiled and rumpled. Soiled Garment Sale 50c	Wool Gloves, 39c. Wool Gloves for women and misses; navy and grey; fancy knit. Soiled Garment Sale 39c	Children's Bloomers 14c. Made of Nainsook, with elastic at waist and knee; Soiled Garment Sale Price 14c	Brassieres, 17c. Pandeau Brassiere—well made; flesh and white; regular 50c value; Soiled Garment Sale, each 17c	Table Cloths, 87c. Pattern Cloths; round and square; embroidered and scalloped; standard sizes; worth up to \$1.50; Soiled Garment Sale Price 87c
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\$8.95 WOOL BLANKET, \$4.99
 Wool Blanket—72 by 84 inch, blue and pink block plaid—soiled, remember that—worth \$8.50. This sale \$4.99

\$1.25 Gowns, 69c
 Nainsook, of fine quality; yoke of satin and lace; orchid and blue only Soiled Garment Sale Price 69c

\$1.25 Teddies, 79c
 Teddies of Vellor; ribbon straps; white, flesh and blue; regular \$1.25 value; Soiled Garment Sale Price 79c

KNIT PETTICOATS
 A special line of cotton, wool mixed and all-wool—fast colors; extra well fitting; all sizes. Value up to \$3.50. 49c, 79c, 98c.

\$1.25 Boy's Shirts, 50c
 Boys' woven stripe madras shirts; sizes 12 to 14; every one slightly soiled. To close at this sale 50c

\$2.95 MEN'S LAMBDOWN UNION SUITS, \$1.59
 Men's Lambsdown fleece union suits; worth \$2.95 a suit. Soiled Garment Sale, suit \$1.59
 \$2.48 Men's ribbed wool union suits; all sizes; Soiled Garment Sale \$1.59

UP TO \$5 BED SPREADS, \$2.88
 Extra large finest bed spreads, scalloped, embroidered and fringed—square and cut corners—slightly soiled. Special, to close \$2.88

25c Long Cloth, 15 1/2c
 16-inch long cloth closely woven soft finish; short lengths slightly soiled; to close, yard 15 1/2c

19c Long Cloth, 12 1/2c
 Bridal long cloth, 7 1/2 inches wide; fine, soft finish; slightly soiled; to close, yard 12 1/2c

CHILDREN'S VERY BEST DRESSES MADE
 "Dandy Line," "Butterfly" and "Elsie Diamsore" Play Togs—made of finest materials and especially good styles; sizes 4 to 12 years; worth up to \$2.48 each. Soiled garment sale price, Choice \$1.29

\$3.50 DRESSES
 50 Dresses, "leftovers" of a 2,000 dress stock—dresses made to sell up to \$3.50 each—black satins and French cretonne combinations included—close sale. Soiled Garment Sale \$1.59

New Arrivals In Smart Footwear
\$5 and \$5.50
 Satins, Suedes, Patents, Brocades, Tan Calf, Black Kid

BABY FRENCH MILITARY OR HIGH HEELS
 Hosiery, Too, Wool and Silk All colors at \$1

OXFORDS BROWN AND TAN CALF, FLAT OR MILITARY HEELS AT \$3.50
\$5.50
 OVER DECATUR DRUG CO. **BERLAND'S**
 STYLE BOOTERY ALSO CLINTON, ILL.

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FREE!
 Cash your Christmas Savings Checks here. With every purchase of \$25 or over paid with a Christmas Savings Check, we will give ABSOLUTELY FREE a \$3 Card Table.
 We carry a complete line of Christmas Novelties including Smoking Sets, Lamps, Cedar Chests, etc. Get your practical gift here.
BEER FURNITURE COMPANY
 332-338 North Main Cash or Easy Credit

ONE TABLE OF TRIMMED HATS
 To be placed on sale Friday. These are wonderful values, and while the selection is limited we advise you to come early—Your choice Friday.
\$1.00

BISHOP MARRIES CLINTON COUPLE

Cecil Williams and R. Lillard United in Peoria.

On Nov. 30—Miss Cecil Williams and Russell Lillard, well known Clinton couple, were married in Peoria Wednesday, the ceremony being performed by Bishop Dunn in the latter's residence.

The couple was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Reynolds the latter being a sister of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Lillard left immediately after the ceremony on a wedding trip after which they will take up their residence in a new bungalow recently completed by the bride's father.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Williams, prominent farmers of the Excelsior neighborhood east of the city, and until recently has been employed as a stenographer with the law firm of Smith & Smith. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lillard, 608 West Second.

George Clemenceau, premier of France, and party passed through Clinton on Illinois Central Daylight Special Thursday afternoon enroute to St. Louis, the party to stop at

Springfield for a visit to Lincoln's tomb.

Mr. Clemenceau occupied a special car "Delicately attached to the rear of No. 12 and there was also a car containing a party of newspaper representatives and motion picture operators. There was quite a crowd at the station to greet the "Tiger" of France.

TO HOLD MEETING.

The shop crafts employed by the Illinois Central numbering over 600 are to hold a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 7:30 Friday evening, the session being the first to be held since the organization of the new associations.

Local craft leaders of the Illinois Central have been given an invitation to be present.

BIG FOUR STIRRING UP SEVERAL TOWNS

Fails to Restore Two Trains It Promised.

Windsor, Nov. 30.—Retailers measure may be used against the Big Four railroad company at Windsor, because the road has rescinded its order to restore trains 7 and 8, which were to have been placed on their runs last Saturday. It is suggested here that the road be courteously but firmly reminded that a switch tower belonging to the company was destroyed by it occupies a city street here.

The company issued a new time table, which it distributed widely, showing the restoration of these two trains Monday morning, however, the agents along the line received notice from headquarters that for the present these trains would not be replaced in commission. No explanation was given.

There is considerable ill feeling here over the poor service the road is giving.

AT LITCHFIELD, TOO

Fans, Nov. 30.—Angry because the Big Four has not restored the two old line passenger trains annulled during the strike, the city of Litchfield is being urged by the local papers there to demand crossing watchmen for some of the crossings within the city. It is charged that the Big Four is not treating its patrons right when it refuses to restore the trains in the service taken off during the rail and coal strike.

MAY COME DEC. 4

It is rumored in railroad circles in Peoria that the two passenger trains No. 7 and 8, taken off during the strike are to be put back into service next Monday, Dec. 4. The trains are scheduled on a new time card recently issued by the Big Four.

BEMENT WOMAN TO OBSERVE BIRTHDAY

Bement, Nov. 30.—Mrs. V. C. Trubee will celebrate a birthday anniversary Saturday, Dec. 2. She has lived in Bement since March 10, 1887 when she and her husband came from Bloomington. Mrs. Trubee lived in the house now occupied by George Burr then moved to the south part of town, where Mr. Trubee died. Afterward the family moved to Bement street where Mrs. Trubee and her sons, Dr. Albert L. and Bennett still live.

Mrs. Viola Tenney, her son's friend and his wife will motor to Champlin Friday and on Saturday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Groves will come to pass the anniversary with her mother.

T. T. MOORE ELDER

Miss Edna Moore was here Wednesday afternoon from Oakland, where she and her mother had been called Friday night by the serious condition of her father, T. T. Moore, who suffered a stroke of paralysis Friday noon. She reports her father's condition as somewhat improved. His left arm is paralyzed but he retains his faculties, speaks and thinks clearly and wants to talk about his store. His friends hope that he may fully recover.

Rev. W. E. Linnard and his wife will leave Friday morning for Beaver Dam, Wis. They had intended to go last Monday but because Rev. Mr. Linnard could not be here to preach the Thanksgiving sermon and there is no other minister in town, they decided to stay. The service was held in the Christian church.

NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE

Under the new schedule, trains will now leave Bement as follows:

No. 12—Bement to Chicago... 1:00 a.m.
No. 13—Chicago to St. Louis... 2:00 a.m.
No. 14—Chicago to St. Louis... 4:12 a.m.
No. 15—Chicago to St. Louis... 7:10 a.m.
No. 16—Chicago to St. Louis... 9:20 a.m.
No. 17—Chicago to St. Louis... 11:40 a.m.
No. 18—Chicago to St. Louis... 1:00 p.m.
No. 19—Chicago to St. Louis... 3:22 p.m.

PREMIUM LIST ON DOMESTIC EXHIBIT

Adjunct of Moultrie Farmers' Institute.

- Hullman, Nov. 30.—The executive committee of the domestic department of the Farmers' Institute of Moultrie county has arranged a list of premiums for the annual exhibit in connection with the institute here in January. It is as follows:
- SECTION A—BREAD**
- Class A—Yeast bread, \$1.00; \$1.15; \$1.30; \$1.45; \$1.60; \$1.75; \$1.90; \$2.05; \$2.20; \$2.35; \$2.50; \$2.65; \$2.80; \$2.95; \$3.10; \$3.25; \$3.40; \$3.55; \$3.70; \$3.85; \$4.00; \$4.15; \$4.30; \$4.45; \$4.60; \$4.75; \$4.90; \$5.05; \$5.20; \$5.35; \$5.50; \$5.65; \$5.80; \$5.95; \$6.10; \$6.25; \$6.40; \$6.55; \$6.70; \$6.85; \$7.00; \$7.15; \$7.30; \$7.45; \$7.60; \$7.75; \$7.90; \$8.05; \$8.20; \$8.35; \$8.50; \$8.65; \$8.80; \$8.95; \$9.10; \$9.25; \$9.40; \$9.55; \$9.70; \$9.85; \$10.00; \$10.15; \$10.30; \$10.45; \$10.60; \$10.75; \$10.90; \$11.05; \$11.20; \$11.35; \$11.50; \$11.65; \$11.80; \$11.95; \$12.10; \$12.25; \$12.40; \$12.55; \$12.70; \$12.85; \$13.00; \$13.15; \$13.30; \$13.45; \$13.60; \$13.75; \$13.90; \$14.05; \$14.20; \$14.35; \$14.50; \$14.65; \$14.80; \$14.95; \$15.10; \$15.25; \$15.40; \$15.55; \$15.70; \$15.85; \$16.00; \$16.15; \$16.30; \$16.45; \$16.60; \$16.75; \$16.90; \$17.05; \$17.20; \$17.35; \$17.50; \$17.65; \$17.80; \$17.95; \$18.10; \$18.25; 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Debate Value of Grid Career in Business

Camp Sees Good Far Outshadowing Bad—Teaches Quick Thinking and Reliance.

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New York, Nov. 30.—The question as to how much good the college man who plays football gets out of the game as a foundation for his future career in the business world is always keenly debated toward the end of a football season.

It is perfectly true that some few have been badly spoiled by the adulation heaped on them by their admirers and by the great amount of national publicity given them. But those cases have not been typical.

SEES MUCH GOOD

The writer is inclined to the belief, after many years of close observation of the game and of the young men who play it and have played it in the past that the good that comes from football training far outweighs whatever might be the bad features.

One great element of success for a football team lies in the ability of the players to assimilate the football instinct and knowledge. This leads to self reliance and independence of thought in critical and unexpected events.

TRAINED TO THINK

A team must be trained to think of football with the same quickness and accuracy as a calculator in critical circumstances which arise in after life. Each player must be taught to make his decision and act in a critical moment without hesitation even though he may never have been called on to do so that special crisis before. Ability to think and act cannot but be a tremendous asset in business success.

DOZEN PRESENT

The thought which occurred to the writer, however, was not so much the arguments that might be advanced in support of the gridiron game as the living proofs of the good in it as demonstrated at the recent dinner attended by the men who played through the season of 1922 under the banner of Yale. It was on the eve of the Harvard-Yale game that these men got together at the university club here. Every man who played on that famous eleven which scored 41 points in 14 games without being scored on by its opponents including Harvard, Princeton and Brown was present. There were representatives of the other eleven colleges which played in the 1922 Yale game. They were all men of the highest caliber and all of them were men of the highest caliber and all of them were men of the highest caliber.

BEZDEK MAY NOT QUIT PENN STATE

Think Coach Will Refuse Baseball Job.

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New York, Nov. 30.—Hutch Bezdek, who has given Penn State as an athletic director and coach with professional baseball for good. But Friday, when he will have finished coaching the Penn State eleven through the last game of a strenuous season, he will give the offer to become the manager of the Philadelphia National league baseball club.

FEEL MORE AT HOME

It is reported that Penn State has shown such affection for Bezdek that he would feel far more at home amidst the growths of the Nittany lion than amidst the dour faces of the Philadelphia ball fans. Many believe therefore that Bezdek will not go back to professional ball in which he was far less successful than he has been in college sports.

HAS HIGH RATING

His record as a coach for Penn State has given him a high rating among college directors. For he has handled many other kinds of athletes than football although his greatest reputation is based on his success with the gridiron. During the time he was with Pittsburgh as manager of the Pirates he had only ordinary success and was cheerful rather than otherwise when he departed from that position.

FLATTERING OFFER

The offer made him by Philadelphia is without doubt a flattering one. Bezdek's ability but his friends who have watched his work with Penn State with pleasure and appreciation intimate that in their belief college work is essentially his forte.

ILLINOIS INVITES 250 TO RELAY

Champaign, Ill., Nov. 30.—More than 250 formal invitations to the sixth annual Illinois indoor relay carnival, to be held here Saturday, March 3, have been mailed to all the leading universities, colleges and prep schools in the country.

TUNNEY PUTS K. O. ON CHUCK WEINERT

New York, Nov. 30.—Gene Tunney, former American light heavyweight champion, knocked out Charles Weinert of Newark, N. J., in the fourth round of a scheduled 15-round bout Wednesday night.

LYNCH IS SHINNED

New York, Nov. 30.—Lynch, leader of the bantamweight title fight, met Edgard Smith of New York in a championship match here on December 22 under arrangements completed by the managers of the two principals and Frank Fitzgerald, ring maker at Madison Square Garden Wednesday.

BIG GAMES TO CLOSE SEASON

Philadelphia, Nov. 30.—Clear, snappy weather was promised today for the annual Thanksgiving day football struggle between Cornell and the University of Pennsylvania. Nearly all of the 53,000 seats in the new stadium had been sold.

NOTRE DAME-NEBRASKA

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 30.—Lower temperatures an overcast sky and a mistlike rain early today made weather conditions uncertain for the Nebraska and Notre Dame annual football game this afternoon.

ANNUAL COMBAT

Pittsburgh, Nov. 30.—The Pitt Panthers and the Penn State Lions meet here today in an effort to settle the scoreless tie games of the last two years.

CREIGHTON FOR TITLE

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 30.—Creighton University and the South Dakota Aggies will play here this afternoon for the championship of the Big Nine or North Central intercollegiate association formed early last spring.

MEET MICHIGAN AGGS.

St. Louis, Nov. 30.—The St. Louis University football eleven closes its season today with a battle against the Michigan Aggies.

FAVOR JAYHAWKERS.

Columbia, Mo., Nov. 30.—With dogs slightly favoring the Jayhawkers, the University of Kansas and the University of Missouri were matched here today for their annual game.

STARS FINISH.

Danville, Kentucky, Nov. 30.—Centre College and the University of South Carolina eleven met here this afternoon.

VERMONT AT DETROIT

Detroit, Nov. 30.—Vermont is the opponent of the University of Detroit in the season's football wind-up here today.

TWENTY CARS IN LOS ANGELES RACE

Los Angeles, Nov. 30.—Twenty drivers were entered to compete for prize money of \$25,000 in the Thanksgiving day 250 mile championship automobile race at the Los Angeles speedway at Beverly Hills, a suburb this afternoon.

DECATUR BRIDGE LEAGUE

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Declare Convict Witnesses "Feasted" in Monticello

This and Other Allegations Urged by Opal Arthur's Counsel in Plea for New Trial.

Monticello, Nov. 30.—Declaring among many other things that Earl Pittman and his fellow convict, Joseph Catto, state's witnesses in the recent trial of George Opal Arthur for the murder of Charles Martin, are still in Monticello and have been "feasted" by other witnesses for the state, counsel for Arthur filed their affidavits Wednesday supporting their plea for a retrial of the case, which resulted in a verdict of guilty with the death penalty attached.

HEARING POSTPONED.
The hearing on the motion for a new trial was to have been held before Judge George A. Sentel Monday forenoon, but because of the serious illness of Grover C. Hoff, chief of counsel for Arthur, the hearing was postponed for one week, the judge ruling that the defendant must file his supporting affidavits by Wednesday afternoon. This was done, the document containing a number of allegations as to improper rulings of the court, the admission of improper and highly prejudicial evidence and other items in support of the verdict of the jury and grant Arthur a new trial.

CONVICTS STILL HERE.
Pittman and Catto, convicts from the Southern Illinois penitentiary at Joliet, the former serving time for robbery of an automobile and the latter for robbery, were brought from the prison to testify to certain alleged admissions of Arthur while he was in the Champaign county jail with them. Following the end of the trial they were not returned to the penitentiary, but are still held at Monticello. A guard from the "pen" also is here.

The affidavits filed Wednesday by defendant's counsel, Grover C. Hoff, W. S. Gray and Arthur Miller, all of Clinton, among other things set out the following:

ALLEGATIONS.
Court erred in overruling defendant's motion for a change of venue in said cause.
Court erred in overruling defendant's motion at close of people's evidence to instruct the jury to find the defendant not guilty.

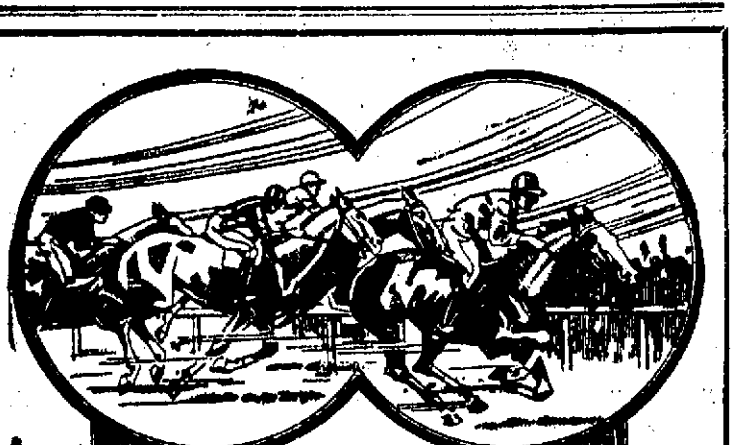
VERDICT CONTRARY TO LAW.
Verdict contrary to evidence from time to time the panel for jurors to be filled by picking up prospective jurors from the body of the county.

NO SPECIAL OATH.
No oath was taken by special jurors after jury came into being as required by law, to have custody and charge of said jury.

Court admitted over objection of defendant, incompetent, irrelevant, immaterial, improper evidence on behalf of people.

Court admitted over objection of defendant a great quantity of cumulative evidence in behalf of the people upon matters on which there was no controversy.

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THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



MAYOR SIMON DOOLITTLE'S THANKSGIVING DINNER FLEW UP IN ONE THE TREES IN HIS BACK YARD, AFTER SEVERAL ATTEMPTS SIMON BROUGHT DOWN THE BIRD—BUT BY THAT TIME THE MAYOR HAD LOST HIS APPETITE.

Wednesday afternoon for the remainder of the week, on account of the Thanksgiving holiday Thursday. Several of the teachers, both in the grades and the high school, are taking advantage of the four days on which there will be no school, to make short visits to their respective homes.

It is a rather unusual fact that nearly all of the teachers employed in the local schools this year are people whose homes are in central Illinois and at no great distance from Tuscola. On that account they are enabled to make short visits to their homes at frequent intervals.

Superintendent H. H. Kirkpatrick was in Mattoon Wednesday afternoon on business pertaining to the schools. Principal Hiers will go Friday with a group of the Tuscola High boys to Peoria to attend an older boys conference.

Mrs. Craft, widow of the late Dr. Craft of this place, who has been spending the summer in her home here, left Wednesday for St. Louis, where she will spend the winter with relatives.

Mrs. Charles Cambridge went to Clinton, Ill., Wednesday.

Mrs. J. M. Collins was a Wednesday visitor in Atwood.

Mrs. J. S. Campbell went to Jacksonville, Ill., Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mrs. B. E. Shipp went to Decatur Wednesday, where she joined Dr. Shipp and they are spending Thanksgiving with the family of their daughter, Mrs. Verne Sleater.

Dr. J. F. Gillespie was a Wednesday visitor at Camargo.

Mrs. Ella Hancock and daughter Ruby, Mrs. W. E. Morris and Mrs. Claude Morris, were Wednesday visitors in Decatur.

Miss Constance Fuller went via the Central to Chicago Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. McNeill, Mrs. H. B. Thornton, and Miss Cosette Chivers were among the Wednesday visitors in Champaign.

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—TOMORROW—
Afternoon and Night
"FOOLISH WIVES"

HAD DREAM OF STEAM SCHOONER

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 30.—A fantastic prairie schooner driven by steam was the dream of a former United States Senator from Illinois in the days before the automobile, according to George M. McConnell.

James M. Semple, senator from Illinois in the early 40s, had long dreamed of driving a great schooner across the Illinois prairies without the aid of horses. His chance came when the Northern Cross railroad, which ran from Jacksonville through Springfield, after a few years of (fruitful) struggle, took its engines off and substituted mules to drag its freight cars. The Northern Cross railroad was the first steam-road in Illinois.

In the reason for abandoning these early steam engines, ship craftsmen of today, whose skill is necessary in keeping the present tremendous transportation system moving, will find a quaint history.

CALLED BLACKSMITHS.
In place of the present mammoth repair shops, the two locomotives of the Northern Cross, lacked even a blacksmith under. When they got out of repair, a village blacksmith in the nearest town along the way had to come out and do what he could to help the engines along.

They were hundreds of miles away from any repair shop, and as they felt the wear and tear of use little repairing could be done except what was worked out in the ordinary blacksmith shop. Accordingly, about 1844 the engines had become incapable of more than crawling about and they were put out of use.

USE OLD ENGINES.
But Senator Semple had another idea. One of the old engines would be just the thing for his experiment. He believed he could construct a prairie steam wagon by making driving wheels of long drums faced with planks. By mounting the old engine on this, he planned to do away with rails and carry passengers over the then unoccupied prairies.

The state turned the engine over to him, but after many strange experiments he abandoned it near the old railroad tracks at Berlin in Sangamon county. Here it finally went to pieces under the wear of the

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WED WHILE "MENTALLY INTOXICATED"



"Mental intoxication" was the reason given by Professor J. P. Tiersman of South Bend, Ind., for his marriage to Mrs. Blanche Brimmer, his bride of a day. Here the professor and his bride are shown on their 24-hour honeymoon. The professor has now returned to wife No. 1 who figured so prominently in the paternity suit against Harry Poulin a few months ago.

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weather and the appropriation of souvenir seekers who carried it away bit by bit.

TEA PRICES DUE TO TAKE BOOST
London—Tea prices will be advanced during the coming winter, according to ten importers in London, the reason assigned being the failure of the tea crop. This is 70,000 pounds below normal, and the effect will be shown by increased prices from four to ten cents a pound in all tea-using countries. The China crop, which is largely exported to the United States, is said to have suffered the most.

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Auto Production To Establish Record

See Greatest Output In History of Industry—Steel Plants Have Huge Orders.

BY J. C. ROYLE
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New York, Nov. 30.—The schedule of automobile production planned for next March provides for the greatest output ever known in the history of the industry.

The condition of the fall planted wheat crop of the northwest is unusually favorable and indicates a stand better than in any previous season at this time of the year. Kansas farmers have sown the fourth largest acreage ever known in the history of that great grain producing state.

ARE WEATHER VANCES.

These facts which were reported today by telegraph from thoroughly reliable sources, are weather vances while moving under influence under present conditions, are pointing to prosperity for 1923.

FROM STEEL TRADE

News of the tremendous production forecast for the automotive industry, not come from motor manufacturers but from an equally reliable source. It was gleaned from steel manufacturers of Pittsburgh, Youngstown, Cleveland and Chicago. Automobile manufacturers might change their minds about the rate of production but it is a far more difficult thing to change their orders.

They have ordered an amount of steel products used in the manufacture of motor cars and accessories for delivery next spring which tells unmistakably of a record breaking factory output.

INCREASED PRODUCTION.

Motor manufacturers themselves are looking to increased production as a means of holding supremacy in their particular price fields. In their circles it is generally asserted that this was of significance of the recent reduction in the price of Cadillac cars, rather than the present trend of manufacturing costs.

According to special reports secured from over 200 correspondents in the Pacific northwest practically all the area of winter wheat sown in dust in central and eastern Washington has come up in good shape.

William C. Vail, the Washington county of central Oregon, and the Columbia river district eleven most successful growers for fall sown grain with conditions at this time as good as or better than normal.

IS INCREASING.

The acreage sown to fall wheat in Kansas is reliably estimated today at 11,100,000 acres. The movement of grain of this year's crop from that section, while still below that of 1921, is increasing to that volume.

AWARE OF TREND.

Railroads are fully aware of the trend of events and are making preparations to handle a record breaking volume of freight. Orders for freight and tank cars continue to come in and inquiries for millions of dollars worth of additional orders for building around the steel centers of the country steadily this week up to today but it is possible the Thanksgiving holidays may result in a slight falling off in product on from some recent weeks.

WILL CONTINUE.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 30.—Harrison New, president of the Tank of Pittsburgh said today "Most of the familiar forecasts of business point to a continuation of the good business of the past months well into the new year. Business recovery has been slow and expansions cautious and as a consequence we are in a much sounder and more liquid condition than might have been the case had improvement been more rapid. Ample credit is available for business expansion and the banking situation is decidedly strong."

SHORTAGE SEVERE.

St. Paul, Nov. 30.—The northwestern railroads have been hit hard by lack of cars during a period as great as they normally carry. The greatest quantity of revenue producing freight, having gains over 1921 have been reduced heavily and the outlook for last quarter dividend is

OUT OUR WAY —By Williams

BIG GAME.

ASSIGNMENT OF BONUS ILLEGAL

Charles Lee Cautions Men As to Law.

"Unless the ex-service men of Decatur are posted on the provisions of the bonus law, there are liable to be some serious difficulties arise in case any of the men attempt to make an assignment of their bonus money," said Commander Charles Lee of Castle Williams Post, American Legion.

"It would be a natural thing for men receiving a bonus of one or two hundred dollars to assign the money to pay some debt before the bonus is paid, thus satisfying his creditors. If he does that he is getting in trouble, and so is the creditor."

AGAINST LAW.

"Section four of the bonus bill says: No assignment of any right or claim to compensation, under the provisions of this act shall be valid." This means that if a man attempts to assign his bonus money, the assignment will not be valid and he is likely to get wound up in red tape. The same applies to those taking assignments of the bonus money."

Officials of the Illinois Division American Legion are actively engaged in hastening the work of getting out the application blanks, and it is hoped that within the next few weeks the blanks will be ready for distribution. A house in Springfield has already been selected to house the clerical force necessary to check the applications, and everything is ready for a prompt payment if it can possibly be brought about.

MANY LEAVE ON INTERURBAN CARS

Motor Club Gets Calls As To Trips.

Quite a large number of Decatur citizens went out on the various interurban trains Thursday morning to eat their Thanksgiving dinners with friends or relatives in other towns.

Indications at the Decatur Motor club Wednesday were that many were also planning to make trips in their cars. Inquiries made special reference to the hard roads both east and west of Decatur. Very few inquiries were being received at the motor club office Thursday morning, indicating that motorists were on their way.

"We're going to Mechanicsburg for dinner," said a Decatur motorist who drives a heavy car. "Even if it does rain we will have only two miles on dirt to travel and I know we can make that."

EASTER ISLAND IS HORRIBLE PLACE

London—Easter Island the land of mystery of the South Pacific, virtually devoid of vegetation and without bird life of any kind is a horrible place to live, according to a New Zealand scientist who is now in London after a five months stay on the island.

No trees grow on Easter Island because it lacks water and the heavy winds wreck them. No birds live there because there are no worms in the dry soil, there are no musquitos but this lack is more than compensated by vicious local flies.

The island is triangular, 12 miles by nine by seven, and is remote from the track of ships. Two hundred Polynesians inhabit it and they suffer periodically from hunger according to the investigator who is Prof. J. Macmillan Brown.

It is famous for its high carved stone images the origin of which never has been determined. Professor Brown says the island cannot have been long inhabited. He fixes 1000 as the date of the first settlers and consequently of the setting up of the strange stone gods. It was first sighted by white men in 1595 and first explored in 1722, when it had 2,000 inhabitants.

RECORD CROP OF CANADIAN WHEAT

Yield Greatest Since 1915, Is Estimated.

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—The highest total wheat yield in Canada since 1915 is the estimate of the 1922 crop issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics. The estimate places the total wheat harvest at 801,423,036 bushels, an average yield of 17 1/2 bushel from 22,423,693 acres.

"The yield per acre this year is higher than any year since 1915. Last year's final estimate of total yield was 309,558,100 bushel from 23,861,224 acres, an average of 13 bushel per acre."

DEEDS RECORDED.

J. M. Coker to J. W. Baker tract in block 7 Oakdale addition \$1,600

PRIVATE BANK IS OPENED IN RUSSIA

Moscow—The first private bank in Soviet Russia, the Russian Commercial Bank, began operations this month.

This bank has been organized as a trust bank, J. H. Asher, a Czech financier, with the aid of American and German capital. The Russian state bank of Moscow has special bank, the Guaranty and Credit Bank for the East, is being organized in Berlin with the aid of the Russian state bank through which all operations of the new commercial bank will pass.

ENTER HEREFORDS IN ANNUAL SHOW

Chicago, Ill. Nov. 30.—Sixty-eight head of Hereford cattle have been entered by twelve exhibitors from Illinois in the International Live Stock Exposition to be held here December 2-4.

GOODENOW HERD.

Beach and Morgan of Goodenow will show five head J. H. Bereman of Aurora, will have a herd of five. From Beecher, Thomas Clark, who owns one of the oldest Hereford herds in America and is one of the founders of the American Hereford Association, will send five. C. D. Ellsworth of Steward has three entries, and H. J. Pluck of Goodenow will show thirteen head.

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GRAND CHAMPION.

W. C. McCown of Newman, who showed the grand champion Hereford bull, "Drummet Fairfax 4th" at the Illinois State Fair this year, will have four. Shallenberger Farms of Argyle will show seven head. Southworth & Tigan of Rochelle will send an entry. J. E. Thompson & Sons of Martinsville will exhibit ten.

Dr. D. D. VanVoorhis of Beecher will show seven; he won several ribbons at the International in 1920 and 1921. D. P. Wallace of Goodenow will show two. C. A. Watson and Son of Apple River, who have never missed an International since the show was founded in 1900, will show six.

PRODUCE.

Philadelphia, Nov. 30.—Fruit crops in Pennsylvania next summer will be extremely short unless there are heavy and continuous rains before the earth freezes this winter or heavy snows throughout the winter, according to John McFarlane, professor of botany at the University of Pennsylvania.

TIRES

Size	Cords	Fabric	Red Tubes
30x3 1/2	\$11.80	7.50	1.25
30x3		6.50	1.20
32x3 1/2		9.75	1.50
31x4		10.90	1.60
32x4	17.50	12.75	1.75
32x4	18.25	13.00	1.90
34x4	19.00	13.75	2.00

Other Sizes Proportionately Low

Fresh Stock Guaranteed

ELDER & CONRAD

214-216 North Franklin

COMMODITY NEWS.

COTTON.

Boston, Nov. 30.—Commission houses report a falling off in the demand for cotton goods due to the increase in prices. Most mills, however, are well pleased with the situation as they are having difficulty in delivering goods already contracted for.

LIVE STOCK.

Ft. Worth, Nov. 30.—Cattle men are being hard pressed to meet their obligations at present owing to the high transportation costs of cattle to market and low prices.

OIL.

Houston, Nov. 30.—Gas oil prices in this section are holding firm and giving some indication of advances. All refiners in this district are running about normal capacity or at the rate of 40,000 barrels of crude a day. Refiners in many instances are adding cracking stills for gas oil.

CANNED GOODS.

Seattle, Nov. 30.—Canned salmon is holding firm. Pinks and chums, the lower priced grades, have advanced to \$1.25 per dozen from the opening price of \$1.05 on September 1. Stocks in jobbers' hands are low.

PRODUCE.

Philadelphia, Nov. 30.—Fruit crops in Pennsylvania next summer will be extremely short unless there are heavy and continuous rains before the earth freezes this winter or heavy snows throughout the winter, according to John McFarlane, professor of botany at the University of Pennsylvania.

DRY GOODS.

St. Louis, Nov. 30.—Dry goods jobbers are benefitting decidedly from the good retail business now in progress throughout this section. Manufacturing is also holding up well.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—The price trend of wholesale dry goods trade in this district still is upward. Trading is active among out of town retailers and orders from road salesmen show fair volume. Considerable resistance is being offered to increased prices.

LUMBER.

St. Paul, Nov. 30.—Lumber men today estimated winter operation in Minnesota would be double those of last season. Wages are from 25 to 50 per cent higher than last year and there is a shortage of men.

ST. LOUIS HAY.

St. Louis, Nov. 30.—Sales: Timothy—Part No. 1 car No. 2 at \$10.00, 3 cars standard at \$10.00, 1 car No. 1 at \$10.00, 1 car No. 2 at \$10.00, 1 car No. 3 at \$10.00, 1 car No. 4 at \$10.00, 1 car No. 5 at \$10.00, 1 car No. 6 at \$10.00, 1 car No. 7 at \$10.00, 1 car No. 8 at \$10.00, 1 car No. 9 at \$10.00, 1 car No. 10 at \$10.00.

PUBLIC SALE of MILK COWS

We will sell at the C. S. Troutman Stock Farm at Wyckles Station, 4 miles west of Decatur

FRIDAY, DEC. 1st, 1922.

BEGINNING AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON

30—HEAD MILK COWS—30

These are mostly Holsteins, fresh with calves by side. We think this is the best lot of milk cows ever sold around Decatur. These cows can be seen at anytime at the above address.

Come and look them over.

SNELL & HENSEY, Owners.

CHAS. S. TROUTMAN, MANNIE WILSON, Auctioneers.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

Local Notices

APPLES AND CIDER.

B. Wright Allen & Son, 150 West Center Street, Main 378. We deliver.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Six-room house and lot, electric lights and gas, 1917 North Church street. At Court House Saturday, December 2, at 2:00 p. m. Abstract at Master in Chancery's.

LOOK—

- White as snow.
- No marks—Washed separately.
- 20 lbs. wet wash, \$1.00.
- 12 1/2 lbs. soft finish, \$1.00.
- Flat work ironed, no starch.
- 10 lbs. rough dry, \$1.00.
- Flat work ironed; wearing apparel starched.

Call Main 5824.

Decatur Model Laundry Co.

BRICK AND CONCRETE WORK.

All kinds of brick and concrete work done. Call Main 6500.

Call Main 632 for Yellow Cab Baggage Service.

For prompt service call George D. Adams, Plumber, Fairview 2162.

ROUND DANCE AT FORSYTH.

Thanksgiving night.

350 CANDY DANCE.

Vic and Fritz Hall, Thursday night, Nov. 30. Free boxes of candy for everybody. Union Music.

BIG DANCE, TONIGHT.

Old Armory Hall—Voyle's Orchestra, 9 to 12. Adm. 50c. Hopkins will Frisco.

HEIRESS FOUND

After a search extending over 30 years, Mrs. Allison-Long was found in Birmingham, Ala., by English authorities and informed that she is heiress to her grandfather's fortune of 50 thousand pounds—nearly a quarter of a million dollars.

MUSIC ACCREDITED SCHOOL SUBJECT

St. Louis—Music has been added to the list of accredited subjects taught in the St. Louis public high schools.

Enthusiasm displayed by school children in the formation of musical organizations and members of the board of education to decree that students taught by music teachers meeting with the board's approval may be granted four credits, as many as are allowed in any one major academic subject.

BAR "JAZZ" INSTRUMENTS.

Though the choice of instruments allowed by the school board in liberal, saxophones and others which create "jazz" tones are barred.

It is estimated that more than 2,200 public school children are engaged in organized orchestral work. The number is exclusive of girls and mandolin clubs.

40 percent more cakes

to a pound can of Hylite, the special cake baking powder, than to a pound of the powder you are using now.

—yet Hylite costs no more!

Recipe Book in Every Can

HYLITE Baking Powder

Especially for cake-making Therefore best for all baking

BEN LITZ BRINGS MILK AS USUAL

Family, Burned Out, in Temporary Home.

"We just had time to get out of bed and get out of the house. We lost practically everything that we had," said Mrs. Ben Litz, who with her husband and family were burned out of their home on the South Side drive Wednesday night when an overheated stove set fire to the house.

Mrs. Litz and her four children are living with her mother Mrs. W. T. Smeltzer on the Mount Zion road. Mr. Litz is still conducting the dairy business and was making his regular rounds this day morning.

"I don't know what we will do," said Mrs. Litz. "The house did not belong to us, and whether the owners will rebuild or not is not known. We intend to continue with the dairy however."

WOMAN JAILER IS PRIVATE CITIZEN

San Angelo, Tex., "Texas" only woman jailer is once more a private citizen. Mrs. Pat Conway, for thirteen years custodian of the keys of the Tom Green county jail serving under three sheriffs and during that time having had charge of some notorious criminals will live the life of ordinary folk again.

Mrs. Conway, in her period of office, thwarted many attempts to break jail, and remembers vividly the time when "Hardy" Lay was shot as he tried to deliver some saws to some of the inmates.

ECONOMY THIS PRISON.

Economy on the part of the sheriff's department removed Mrs. Conway, Frank Duckworth, sheriff and Wayne Gien, his deputy, will operate alone. They will also superintend feeding the prisoners heretofore handled by Mrs. Conway.

Mrs. Conway was appointed by J. S. McConnell, then sheriff, she served as many as fifty prisoners' meals at one time as low as only one prisoner and left with eleven confined.

NEVER USED GUN.

Mrs. Conway kept a pistol but at no time had occasion to use it. In her first year on duty, she said she was called upon to "dress down" a negro who was on occasion that any prisoner ever got out of the jail was a few weeks ago when, she said, she had to box a negro over the head with the jail keys until she thought he had enough and then summoned a doctor.

AUCTION SALE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1st

At 2:00 P. M.

From South Door of the Court House, Shelbyville, Illinois

The Moberley Goat Farm

consisting of 755 acres. Part is level land in cultivation. Plenty of water. Fair improvements. A Good Stock Farm.

Will be sold subject to a first mortgage of \$12,000.00 due June 1st, 1926. Terms 10 per cent day of sale; balance March 1st, 1923, or upon taking possession; previous to that date by arrangement.

CHAS. R. MERTENS,

Trustee.

DEL BENNETT, Auctioneer.

Let Us Return Thanks

For all that has been granted us to promote our health, happiness and prosperity, let us humbly offer our thanks. And let us not forget the exalted principles, the sturdy purpose and fidelity to ideals that sustained our forefathers in establishing civilization on American shores.

In offering to you our service as a bakery, we keep in mind our obligations to the ideals of QUALITY that has made our bakery the foremost in the city.

Federal Bakery

RAYMOND B. CONRAD, Mgr.

104 MERCANT ST.
PHONE MAIN 1000

Review "Rooms For Rent" Ads Will Bring You Best Results. Get One In Tomorrow

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MARRY AT ALTAR

OF DREAMA CHURCH

Alta Mae Mounce Bride of Chicago Man.

Oreana, Nov. 29.—The marriage of Miss Alta Mae Mounce, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Mounce, of Oreana, to Paul M. Mounce, of Chicago, took place at 10:30 o'clock, Thanksgiving day, at the Dreama Church, here, in the presence of a large company of relatives and friends. The double ring ceremony was used, the bride's father officiating.

The church was beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums in the bride's color, coral and white. Maroon and blue were the colors of the bridesmaids. Miss Clara Stephenson, intimate friend of the bride, gave the bride away, and the ceremony was officiated by the Rev. J. M. Mounce, father of the bride.

The bride was dressed in white, carried a bouquet of white roses, and wore a train. The bridesmaids wore maroon dresses with white collars and cuffs. The groom wore a dark suit and a white shirt with a bow tie.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's father, where a large number of guests were entertained. The bride and groom left for Chicago at 1:30 o'clock.

BRIDAL CHORUS

As the strains of the bridal chorus from Lorena were heard, the two young people, Paul M. Mounce and Alta Mae Mounce, entered the church. The bride was escorted by her father, and the groom by his best man, Mr. J. M. Mounce.

The ceremony was a simple one, and the bride and groom were united in marriage. The bride's father gave her away, and the groom placed the ring on her finger.

The bride and groom then left for Chicago, where they will reside. The bride's father and the groom's father both gave the couple a check for \$1,000.

MISSIONARY MAKES PLEA AT MANSFIELD

Mansfield, Nov. 29.—Rev. and Mrs. Brown and Rev. and Mrs. Eckel visited the Mansfield church Monday evening, making a plea for the missionary workers. Rev. and Mrs. Eckel were missionaries in Japan for several years. They gave an interesting talk and made several appeals for the support of the missionary cause.

ROOMS AND BOARD

10—Rooms with Board.
10—Rooms without Board.
10—Rooms for Housekeeping.
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REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

10—Apartments and Flats.
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Paris—The new handkerchiefs, which first appeared in Paris several weeks ago, have become quite the thing to wear. They are made of fine linen and are decorated with the most beautiful designs. They are sold at a high price, but they are very popular.

ARGENTA

Mrs. John E. Brown, who has been ill for several weeks, is now able to go out again. She was confined to her bed for several weeks, but she is now feeling much better.

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Automobile Agencies

HAYNES AND DORT MOTOR CARS—Sales and Service. Parker & Davis, 331 N. Main St.

Automobiles for Sale

ALWAYS ON HAND—A full line of high-grade and cheap motor cars at attractive prices. Don't fail to see us before buying. Cash or terms to suit. OPERATOR USED CAR MARKET, 334 East Wood.

Classifications

The following classification sections appear in the Review's Classified Advertising. The classifications being grouped to cover the various lines of business. The individual advertisements are arranged under these headings in alphabetical order for quick reference.

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What Would a Telephone Be Without the Bell?

You wouldn't take the bell off your telephone and expect to get many calls on it, would you?

Plenty of people might want to talk with you, but you'd never know about it.

And how about the messages that come for you in the Review's Classified Section?

Are you getting them every time they appear? All ready to satisfy some particular need of yours? Or are you missing these opportunities—because you never know about them?

Look over the Classifications that interest you most today. Watch for offers that can save you money and bother. Do your buying with both eyes open.

Keep in touch with this opportunity—service every day!

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ALWAYS THE SAME IN SERVICE
ALWAYS DIFFERENT IN OPPORTUNITY

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Baskets Sent to Many Needy Families in City

School Children and Other Organizations Help Bring Cheer to Homes.

The true spirit of Thanksgiving pervaded the city Wednesday evening when many needy families were supplied with baskets of food to give them a real feast on America's big feast day.

The pupils of the schools had no small part in sending this happiness abroad as in every school district some baskets were sent out. The food for the baskets including many bushels of potatoes, many glasses of jelly and jam, and the money to buy some of the other things for the baskets were brought in by them.

FEW DUPLICATIONS.

These baskets, for the most part, went out among the needy in the school districts. The names were in most instances supplied by the pupils who might know of some one needy, but the teachers worked with Miss Ada Niedermeyer Social Service secretary in order that there might be as few duplications as possible.

Much of the money collected for Thanksgiving by the children will be turned over to the Social Service bureau for the expenses on school children.

FAMILY OF ELEVEN.

When Miss Niedermeyer gave out the names of the families from the Social Service bureau the larger families were first arranged for and then the smaller ones. There were on her list one family of eleven members and another of ten, and the numbers ranged down to two.

When the day closed Wednesday, the call upon the bureau for names from societies and clubs and schools had been such as use practically all the names that were on file there as needing such assistance. The work of the week in getting ready for the day made it necessary for the bureau to borrow another room in the building and to have some volunteer service.

GIRLS CLUBS ACTIVE.

The girls clubs of the Y. W. C. A. and other clubs of the city had a part in this Thanksgiving cheer and many baskets were distributed by them. It is also undoubtedly true that many individuals did the same kind of work whose names are not known. The churches worked on the same plan and the Sunday Schools prepared many baskets.

The Salvation Army was just as ready to help in the work as was the Social Service bureau and several days ago supplies began coming in there from individuals and organizations and these were distributed by the army.

MANY STATES HELP PROVIDE DINNERS FOR DECATUR FOLKS

When Decatur set down to its collective dinner Thursday it found the table loaded with fruits, vegetables and greens from many different states and countries.

Cabbages from Wisconsin, cranberries from New Jersey, carrots from Louisiana, green beans from Mississippi, artichokes from California, celery from Michigan, eggplant from Florida, celery cabbage from New York, apples from Idaho, mushrooms from Minnesota, new tomatoes from Mexico, chestnuts from Italy, grapes from Spain, dates from Arabia, bananas from Central America, figs from Greece, pineapples from Cuba were some of the articles named off by a fruit dealer in his display of stuff on one counter in a Decatur fruit store Thursday morning.

BIG DINNERS IN ALL HOSPITALS

The sick people in the hospitals of Decatur were not allowed to pass a Thanksgiving day without some sort of festivity, and all three of the hospitals observed the day.

At St. Mary's. At the St. Mary's hospital there was a regular Thanksgiving dinner with turkey and chicken, plenty of it, for patients, nurses and workers. This was served at noon and besides the meat there were cranberries and everything else that goes with the dinner.

At D. and M. C. Ninety pounds of turkey were prepared for that part of the feast at the Decatur and Macon County hospital, for the nurses, patients, and workers who number about ninety at that time of the day. The tables were decorated with pumpkins filled with fruit and the dessert was mince and pumpkin pie.

At Wabash. A big chicken dinner was served at the Wabash hospital with all the trimmings that are supposed to go with such a dinner including oysters, cranberries, mashed potatoes and gravy. Pumpkin pie was served for dessert. There were about forty served.

SEVENTEEN BOYS SERVED TURKEY. A bountiful Thanksgiving turkey dinner was served to the seventeen boys at the Boys' Opportunity home at 1:30 Thursday. The donations were very liberal, and were as follows:

Fifteen pound turkey, ice cream and cake—Mrs. Harry Van Orman. Ten pound turkey—Jewish Ladies' society.

Oysters, celery, cranberries, potatoes, pumpkins—Harry Leon. Bushel apple—Mr. and Mrs. George A. Steele.

Box of oranges—Mrs. Dan Heck. Basket of assorted fruit, nuts and candy—Mary W. French school. The chap at the Orlando hotel

cooked the turkey donated by Miss Van Orman. Flowers were donated by several people. Previous to the dinner, the children were taken in automobiles to see "Penrod" at the invitation of the management of the Avon theater. No program was given.

30 GIRLS EAT AT WELFARE HOME

At the Welfare home, thirty girls and the staff of the home were served a turkey dinner Thursday, at 2 o'clock. The girls were taken to the Avon theater in the morning to see "Penrod" at the invitation of the management. Those who donated their cars to convey the children to the theater were H. D. Gralder, F. E. Harold, Harry Leon and John Robinson.

Mrs. C. P. Kennedy had charge of the arrangements for assuring the girls.

Harry Leon, one of the board members, donated the turkey for the dinner. Mrs. Irene Mueller donated the ice cream and Mrs. Guy Scovill donated the cake.

After the dinner, a program of readings and recitations was given by the children in the home.

MILLIKIN HOME ENJOYS CHICKEN

Preceding the chicken dinner at the Millikin home Thursday, the children were taken in cars to see "Penrod" at the Avon theater. They were invited by the management. There were thirty-eight children.

Dinner was served to about fifty, including seven elderly women, thirty-eight children, the staff and a few guests.

The donations were as follows: Chickens—Wallins and the Parlor market. Celery and oranges—Elliott's commission house.

Ice cream—Polar ice company. Bushel apples—J. N. Baker.

AT PYTHIAN HOMES. Outside the big dinners served at noon, there was no Thanksgiving observance at the two Pythian homes. A chicken dinner, with all the necessary accessories, was served at each home. There are now thirty-nine people in the old folks home and sixty-two children at the orphan's home, all of whom partook of the dinners served at noon.

AT RESTAURANTS. Hotels and restaurants reported quite a number of reservations made for Thanksgiving dinners and poultry dealers were having some rush orders for turkeys to supply the needs of restaurants where the reservations for the holiday dinner had been unexpectedly large.

Grocery stores and meat markets were open until 10 o'clock but they had only a moderate amount of business. Housewives generally had made their preparations in advance and were busy at home Thursday morning.

AT DAY NURSERY. The annual Thanksgiving dinner was served at the Decatur Day Nursery Wednesday noon. The turkey, as usual, was donated by Mrs. John C. Rainey, rural route 7.

ARREST SPEEDERS IN LOS ANGELES. And a Burwell Sends Clippings.

And a Burwell, formerly of Decatur but now of Los Angeles, has sent The Review clippings from a Los Angeles paper telling of wholesale arrests for speeding on city streets and of the action of the judge in imposing jail sentences instead of fines. Already he had jailed 127 and has threatened to increase the jail sentences from the present one to five day terms to much longer confinement.

Naval officials, city officials, business managers and others of similar standing are sentenced to jail just as quickly as men of less prominence. The judge has created a sensation by his action.

RECEPTION FOR MRS. FLORA SHEETS

Event Will Be Held in Lincoln, Ill., on Dec. 5.

Mrs. Flora Sheets, newly elected president of The Rebekah Assembly, has issued invitations to the members of Starlight Rebekah lodge of Decatur to attend a banquet and reception that will be given in her honor in the Odd Fellows Temple in Lincoln, Dec. 5. The banquet will be served at six-thirty and the reception will be held at 8. Banquet tickets are \$1.00 and reservations can be made with Frances Small, 508 North McLean street, Lincoln.

CHEST TRUSTEES MEET FRIDAY

Officers to Be Elected at 4 O'Clock in A. O. C.

A meeting of the trustees of the Community chest has been called for 4 o'clock Friday afternoon. The meeting will be held in the office of the Association of Commerce and will be for the purpose of electing the officers and the executive committee.

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HEAVY HOLIDAY TRAVEL ON TRAINS

Great Crowds Go South and Southeast.

Central Illinois highways are still not weatherproof as was evident from the heavy holiday travel on the railroads Wednesday and Thursday. Instead of taking to the gas buggies to do their Thanksgiving traveling, most of these people seemed to be afraid to tackle the roads and as a result, the local trains in and out of Decatur did a land office business.

Illinois Central travel to the south and southeast Wednesday evening jammed the cars so full that it seemed they could not care for another passenger. One train south to Centralia Wednesday afternoon had 175 passengers from Decatur and another train had close to 203.

HEAVY BUSINESS. The Wabash new No. 53 to Litchfield Wednesday evening handled about 130 passengers, about one-third of these being out of Decatur. This same train of one baggage car and one coach had almost fifty people into Decatur Thursday morning.

Other Wabash locals also did a heavy business. This was not as unusual ten or fifteen years ago but in very recent years, the holiday travel hasn't meant much for railroads for autos and improved road conditions did away with much of this business.

Railroad Notes. James Grainger, night baggageman at the Wabash depot sustained two broken fingers on his right hand shortly before quitting time Thursday morning and will be laid up for three weeks. He was unloading heavy engine grades off of train No. 3 and was just taking off the last grade, which weighed about 300 pounds, when his fingers caught in it, snapping the bones straight across.

The Wabash will have a second No. 1 out of St. Louis Sunday morning with three baggage cars and three sleepers carrying the Shubert Revue and Office of 1924 theatrical companies for Chicago.

A class for instructions in "First Aid to the Injured" in compliance with the Illinois statutes will be held by a medical examiner for the Pennsylvania railroad company in the class room at the division offices here in Decatur on Tuesday, Dec. 5. The class will be from 1 to 2:30 p. m.

With the new Illinois Central Time card on Dec. 5, the Peoria-Mattoon trains, known as the through trains will discontinue making the local stops at Dunn, Hight and Turpin.

The company officials feel that the Decatur-Mattoon local train making two round trips daily and stopping at those stations, is sufficient service.

Wabash local freights were run Thursday. Thanksgiving day, but they were delayed so as to not call the crews until after they had had their Thanksgiving dinner at their own table.

75 BOYS AT PINES ENJOY DINNER. E. C. Augustine Gives Talk on Y. M. C. A.

Fifty-five boys of the Pines Community Center, enjoyed a Thanksgiving supper at the Pines Wednesday evening. E. C. Augustine was the speaker of the evening. Mr. Augustine spoke of the threefold motto of the Y. M. C. A. developed on one thing, to be of service with all, and as the boys of the Pines club have added a social side to the motto Mr. Augustine said he would like to become a member of one of the clubs and immediately he received several invitations to join.

Two reels of motion pictures were shown and music was furnished by the Pines orchestra. The band from Dallas and concert was heard from Dallas, Tex., Kansas City Mo., Atlanta, Ga., and Davenport.

PINES NOTES. The Postal Railway Club enjoyed a "Thanksgiving" at the Pines Thursday. The Domestic Science Club under the direction of Miss Young will hold a turkey pull at the Pines Saturday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid of the Lutheran church will meet all day Friday and dinner will be served at noon.

SCHOOL NOTES

Superintendent J. J. Richardson of the public schools, Miss Sarah M. Imboden, supervisor of elementary grades, and Miss Harriet Conrad, assistant supervisor, are conducting a series of conferences with grade school principals concerning the problems of their individual buildings. The conferences are conducted separately and one conference occupies an hour. The time of the conference is arranged by schedule and no principal need be away from his school more than an hour.

Superintendent John J. Richardson left Wednesday afternoon on an automobile trip to Ohio. He went by way of the hard road to Erie by Erie by Greenfield, Erie and Muncie, Ind. He expects to be gone during the Thanksgiving vacation and will return home some time Sunday.

KIWANIS MEMBERS FURNISH AUTOS

Take Children from Various Homes to Picture Show.

Members of the Kiwanis club used their automobiles Thursday morning in taking the children from the various institutions and homes to the free movie show at the Avon Thursday morning. The men returned following the show and took the children back.

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Send in briefly what you saw in the "What Did You See?" Editor of The Review. Give your name and address.

J. R. saw, a boy in a drug store who asked for a two cent stamp. When he was told they did not have any, he asked how much one would cost if they did have one.

M. C. saw a colored man who sells hot tamales give a quarter to a young man who was staggering. He explained to a bystander, "You know I always feel sorry for a drunk man, I've stepped out myself."

F. L. N. and M. C. saw a well dressed man wearing a straw hat, putting on the side curtains of an Auburn automobile, at Jasper and Main streets.

B. H. saw a young woman walking down the street with two tassels sewed on each side of her hose.

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K. P. ORGANIZE 20 MONTHS' CLUB

Payments Go to New Building Fund.

Knights of Pythias of the three Decatur lodges are being given an opportunity to join the Decatur Pythian Club Hall Twenty Months club. This club is not unlike the Christmas savings clubs of the local banks except that the payments extend over twenty months and are subscriptions to the fund to be used for the payment for the property which the three lodges recently bought from the Standard Life Insurance Co. and which is located at the northeast corner of West William and North Edward streets.

HOPE TO RAISE \$15,000. With more than 750 members in the three Decatur lodges it is hoped that cards enough will be signed for payments to average that many dollars a month for the twenty months. In this way it is felt that \$15,000 can be raised for the Cavite Hall fund without hardship on the members of the lodges.

REMODELING. Considerable re-modeling is now being done on the building which will have not only social rooms on the first floor but also a fine lodge room on the second floor.

HARRY GREEN SPEAKS TUESDAY

Public Address on New Constitution.

Harry Green of Urbana will be in Decatur next Tuesday night to deliver an address in behalf of the new constitution. The meeting, which will be open to the public, will probably be held in the circuit court room. Mr. Green comes at the invitation of the Decatur Bar association. He is the chairman of the publicity committee for the new constitution.

WOOD BLOCK FROM PAVEMENT BECOMES DANGEROUS MISSILE

Another motor menace was discovered by people in the 200 block on West Main street Wednesday morning which hints that the automobile may be as dangerous as a machine gun and in pretty much the same way. The story is as follows:

Ed Shanley was painting, a sidewalk sign in front of the Clark flower store. He was almost in front of the Electric Supply & Fixture House at No. 230 and was stooping over his work. A large automobile went east on Main street at rather a high rate of speed. There was a loud bang which startled the people in the supply and fixture house.

"That certainly was some blow-out," said one who there was a rush to the door to see what had happened to the car.

PICKED UP WOOD BLOCK. Shanley was seen to rub the back of his neck and gaze about him in a bewildered way. Then he picked up a section of wood paving block from the sidewalk and critically examined it.

"Do you know what that noise was?" he asked the fixture people. "A blow-out," suggested one. "Here's what it was," he said and exhibited the block. "This thing hit your door and it just grazed the back of my neck. Gee, if it had hit me it would have knocked my block off."

GRAZED HIM.

A streak of mud across the back of his neck indicated that it had really grazed him. If his head had not been bent at the moment it would have struck him squarely in the neck. A dent in the panel of the door showed plainly where the block had struck and indicated the force of the blow. It was traveling at the speed of a bullet. The block measured two by two by three inches and it weighed a trifle more than a quarter of a pound. It might have killed the man that it so narrowly missed. The occupants of the car never knew what had happened. The fire had shot the wet block as a boy sometimes shoots an apple seed with his slingshot and slings.

TESTIFY TO SPEED OF CASEY AUTO

No Court Thursday in Chenoweth Case.

Dan Talk, Mrs. Nell Mitchell of Chicago and Raymond Jarnagin of Shelbyville, formerly of 239 West Prairie avenue, were on the stand in the Chenoweth-Casey \$50,000 damage suit Wednesday afternoon, following Attorney Robert P. Vall, whose cross-examination was not finished until about 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. Talk was at the scene of the accident a few moments after it occurred and he corroborated all that Robert P. Vall had said in regard to the marks on the pavement indicating that the collision occurred a little east and a little north of the center of the street intersection, and showing that the car of Dr. Chenoweth had been pushed or dragged, and also the marks of another car on which the brakes had been set so tightly that the wheels slid.

TESTIFIED TO FAST SPEED. Mrs. Nell Mitchell, formerly of Decatur, testified that she was walking west on Prairie avenue after leaving the First Presbyterian church. She said she had proceeded only a short distance when a closed car going west passed her. She said the car was being driven by a woman, that the car was open and that the car was traveling at a high rate of speed. In her judgment it was traveling thirty-five miles an hour.

She did not know who was driving the car. Her attention was called to it by the noise made by the car on account of the cut-out being open. She said she had proceeded only a few feet when she heard a crash. On proceeding westward she saw that there had been an accident at the intersection of Prairie avenue and Edward street, and on looking at the two cars she identified one as the car that had passed her a few moments before.

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Dan Talk, Mrs. Nell Mitchell of Chicago and Raymond Jarnagin of Shelbyville, formerly of 239 West Prairie avenue, were on the stand in the Chenoweth-Casey \$50,000 damage suit Wednesday afternoon, following Attorney Robert P. Vall, whose cross-examination was not finished until about 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. Talk was at the scene of the accident a few moments after it occurred and he corroborated all that Robert P. Vall had said in regard to the marks on the pavement indicating that the collision occurred a little east and a little north of the center of the street intersection, and showing that the car of Dr. Chenoweth had been pushed or dragged, and also the marks of another car on which the brakes had been set so tightly that the wheels slid.

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ROADS.

The hard road is open west to Buffalo and east to Danville without detour.

Gravel and oil roads in good condition. Dirt roads rough and muddy in places.

MUST FILL BLANK TO CASH W. S. S.

May Be Secured At Local Postoffice.

If you are one of those who own War Savings certificates or stamps of the 1918 issue and due to be cashed next Jan. 1, you should take the following course of instruction:

To have these cashed, it will be necessary for you to secure a printed blank at the postoffice. Bring your stamps or certificates along, turn them over to the postmaster or his assistant and fill out the blank. The blank will then be sent to the federal reserve bank in Chicago.

One can then go home and wait and on or about Jan. 1, he will receive by mail direct from the federal reserve bank, a check for the full amount of the stamps. If one wants the cash for his stamps, he will have to wait until Jan. 1 but if he desires to exchange the stamps for the new issue of treasury certificates, he can have this done right away. The Decatur postoffice has now received its supply of these blanks for people to fill out.

Fire Call. The fire department was called to the gas plant about 11:30 o'clock Wednesday night to extinguish a fire in the wooden coal chutes where coal is unloaded from railroad cars. The damage was very slight.

TAKEN FROM LIFE (By Martin) OH PAPPY

CLUSTER LIGHTS. "Why are we discriminated against with our cluster lights," ask the residents of North Main street. "We are the pioneers in the cluster light movement and for years they called our street 'The Great White Way.'" Now the cluster lights are burning everywhere on Saturday nights except on our street.

SUPERVISORS TO MEET. The board of supervisors will meet at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon to pass on official bonds of county officers.

ALL DAY QUILTING. The W. R. C. will have an all day quilting Friday in the G. A. R. Hall. Dinner will be served at 12 o'clock for the public.

26 LICENSES. Seventy-six marriage licenses were issued during the month of November by County Clerk C. H. Patterson in comparison to eighty-one during October.

MILLION POUNDS POULTRY HANDLED \$175,000 Paid Out During November.

More than 200,000 chickens, ducks, geese and turkeys passed through the hands of Decatur's wholesale poultry dealers during the month which ended with Thanksgiving and this brought into circulation in this county and those immediately adjacent somewhere around \$175,000.

More than a million pounds of poultry gathered and paid for during the month of November represents a tidy little sum of money which goes into circulation immediately for the benefit of business in all lines. More than \$5,000 a day paid out for what is looked upon as a side line in agriculture in this grain and live stock growing section is not to be sneezed at as a real prosperity crop.

EGGS ADDITIONAL. In addition to the poultry there are also the eggs which at present high prices make another large sum although probably not nearly so large as that paid out for chickens and other fowl.

"Do you know," said an enterprising poultry shipper Thanksgiving morning as he sorted a bit after the strenuous before Thanksgiving rush, and looked over the checks paid for poultry within the last few days, "that we paid out about an average of one dollar each for the live chickens, taking them all, large and small?" I can remember when twenty-five to thirty cents was looked upon as a big price for chickens for the wholesaler to pay.

This buyer recently bought a bunch of five dozen capons and the grower of those fifty capons took away a check for \$37.50.

MAKING MONEY. "How's that for getting money for chickens that were probably hatched last June," said this shipper as he figured on a blotter. "That grower received more than \$1.50 each for those birds and if he had kept them until the Christmas trade he would have received at least two dollars each."

Capons run from seven to ten pounds in weight when properly matured and ready for the market and they command very high prices.

More capons are being grown here than ever but there is a market for all that can be raised. The demand in the east will absorb all that will be raised here for some time.

BORN.

To Mr. and Mrs. William B. Cornington: 1464 North Broadway street, Nov. 24, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Rabney: 1416 South of Decatur Nov. 24, a daughter. She has been named Allison Emma.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. J. B. Mertz, 322 West Leland avenue, is spending Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. H. Pecticoat in Danville.

CONFESSION. Diphtheria—